

The Weather

Today—Occasional showers in morning; thundershowers in afternoon; moderate temperature, moderate winds. Yesterday—High, 71; low, 56. (Details on page 10-B.)

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THREE CENTS ELSEWHERE FIVE CENTS

Sailors Beat Nats, 4 to 3; \$1,953,775 In Bonds Sold

29,221 Fans Attend; Marshal Wavell, Other Celebrities Among Throng

By Shirley Povich
Post Staff Writer

Viewed by 29,221 war bond buyers, The Washington Post's baseball show became extravaganza under the Griffith Stadium lights last night and produced \$1,953,775 for the United States Treasury for a 4-to-3 victory for the Norfolk Training Station team over the Nats.

The stadium glittered with parades of famed personalities to the home plate microphone and a whooping ball game in which the crack Norfolk Sailors staved off defeat in the ninth inning when the Nats scored all of their three runs.

Thrill piled on thrill for the 22,921 in the stands as necks were craned to glimpse Kate Smith and Bing Crosby, singing from home plate, and Babe Ruth making an unadvertised appearance on the field during the program.

But there was an added fillip that brought the house down again in the seventh inning as Master of Ceremonies Arch McDonald introduced another personality—Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell, sitting in the stands that held both high officials and kids who had turned in their stamp books for bond game tickets.

Responding to the uproarious applause, Wavell spoke from the microphone at home plate.

The ball game was commensurate with the sensational tempo of the complete program. Justifying its advance notices, the Norfolk team emerged from a torrid battle to be named winner in a game that the press box likes to call a beast.

The Wagner Jinx

It was a victory for former Red Sox ace Charley Wagner, now a seaman at the Norfolk Base, who continued to exercise the charm he had held over Washington when he beat the Nats five times in succession in 1941. Wagner shut the Nats out for eight innings, but was

Field Marshal Wavell Gets Ruth's Autograph

Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell saw his first baseball game last night, and left Griffith Stadium a fan. He was so enthusiastic, indeed, this soldier who has come all the way from India, that he asked Babe Ruth for his autograph—and got it.

forced to call for relief in the ninth in his battle with four Washington hurlers.

The Nats had both the tying and winning runs on base with one out when Maxie Wilson, a left-hander from Portsmouth, Va., halted Washington's five-hit surge in the ninth by retiring Robertson on a pop foul and George Case on a center field fly.

It was ball game to please even the most critical, with former Red Sox Dominie DiMaggio cutting down two Washington runners at home plate with super throws to catcher Vince Smith from center.

See GAME, Page 13, Column 3.

40,000 Families Homeless in Flood

Forty thousand families were homeless yesterday in Midwestern floods, with the total of dead at 17. The worst danger north of Graton, Ill., and St. Louis, Mo., apparently had passed, but all areas south of those points were battling to hold the swollen streams within their banks wherever possible.

(Details on page 8.)

District News Highlights

Gasoline shortage relieved here temporarily by arrival of barge carrying 840,000 gallons of gas. (Page 1.)

Two important District bills passed by House, await President's signature. (Page 1.)

Commissioners ask Congress for \$723,078 additional to be included in 1944 District budget. (Page B-1.)

Parents and churches rebuked for prevalence of vice here at meeting of civic, health and police officials. (Page B-1.)

Thirty-four civilians listing Washington as their address among group of Americans interned by Japs in Philippines. (Page 8.)

A \$25,000 Pitch . . .



HURLING FOR VICTORY—Lieut. J. C. Shively, 27-year-old navigator of a Flying Fortress who saw action on both the Atlantic and Pacific fronts and is being treated at Walter Reed Hospital for wounds, and who was decorated with the Order of the Purple Heart, has eight flights to his credit over Germany and occupied France, was the guest of Capt. Broward McClellan, \$25,000 bidder for the President's box at The Post's war-bond game last night. A Page of Pictures—Page 12)

D. C. Jobless Pay Bill Goes To President

Measure Extending Women's Workweek Also Awaits Signing

Only awaiting the President's signature to become law are two District bills on which the House completed legislation yesterday afternoon, one changing the unemployment compensation law here and the other permitting women to work 54 hours a week in certain industries.

The two bills were passed by the House some time ago but amended by the Senate.

The unemployment compensation bill places District employers on an experience rating basis, and will save them an estimated five million dollars a year, while it increases benefits to unemployed. The present flat 2.7 per cent of payroll rate has built up a reserve of 36 million dollars, which would amount to 50 million dollars by the end of the year.

Under the terms of the new bill those employers with stable employment records will benefit on a sliding scale of contributions from one-tenth of 1 per cent of the payroll to the present 2.7.

Payments to the unemployed will be increased from a maximum of \$18 for 19 weeks to \$20 for 20 weeks, with benefits for spouses and dependent children.

The bill which allows the Minimum Wage and Industrial Safety Board to permit an employer to increase hours for women employees if it is essential to victory was amended by the Senate, on motion of Senator McCarran (Democrat) of Nevada, chairman of the Senate District Committee, to retain the six-day week. As originally passed by the House the bill would have permitted such employment to be spread over seven days. The House concurred yesterday in this amendment.

5 Jap Bombers Destroyed in Attu Battle

Second Attempt to Impede U. S. Progress Ends in Failure

The Japs have failed in another air attempt to relieve their beleaguered garrison on Attu island in the Aleutians, and have lost 5 of their 16 attacking twin-engined bombers, the Navy announced yesterday.

One American fighter plane was shot down in the encounter, though the pilot was rescued, while another fighter was listed as missing.

The enemy attack was made on Sunday, one day after a flight of 15 bombers had unsuccessfully attacked two American naval vessels in the Attu area.

American Lightning fighters which intercepted the Sunday raiders presumably came from the American airfield at Amchitka, about 200 miles east of Attu, indicating that the United States air force there has been put in condition to provide air support for our land forces now engaged in wrestling Attu from the enemy or to attack enemy-held Kiska.

The 16 enemy bombers encountered Sunday were over the eastern part of the island and were apparently preparing to make an attack on American troops engaged in mopping up the isolated Japanese.

See ATTU, Page 8, Column 2.

Edsel Ford III Of Undulant Fever

Detroit, May 24 (AP)—Edsel Ford, president of the Ford Motor Co., and only son of Henry Ford, is gravely ill of undulant fever, it was announced today, but his condition has improved materially over the weekend. Ford is 49 years old.

Biggest Raid Of War Blasts City in Ruhr

37,000 Reported Homeless as 2000 Tons of Bombs Rock Dortmund

Battered Again

PANTELLERIA, in the Mediterranean, is battered again by Allied planes from Africa, with 317 Axis aircraft destroyed in that area in five days. Page 2.

THE RUSSIANS make a feeler thrust at Nazi forces preparing for an offensive and smash a German attempt at reconnaissance in force. Page 2.

Suspense Ended

London, May 24.—Beating down the world's thickest antiaircraft defenses, the R. A. F. last night dumped more than 2000 tons of bombs on the industrial city of Dortmund, primary source of Germany's war power, in the heaviest and most concentrated air attack in history.

The unprecedented assault also carried the RAF to another milestone in the aerial battle of Europe, for, according to the air ministry, it brought the total weight of explosives dropped on Germany by the RAF bombers to 100,000 tons since the war began.

(C. B. S. Correspondent Howard K. Smith said in a broadcast from Bern, Switzerland, that the raid left an estimated 37,000 persons homeless in Dortmund. He said the German civilian defense and fire-fighting forces were caught "completely off guard.")

British heavy bombers also blasted other Ruhr objectives, ranging up and down the vital industrial valley which they flooded one week ago by breaching the Moehne and Eder dams.

The Vichy radio fell silent just before midnight, indicating new raids upon the continent.

(The Budapest radio also shut down after giving air-raid precautions.)

See RAIDS, Page 8, Col. 5.

Allied Bombers Start Big Fires on Rabaul Airfield

Allied Headquarters in Australia (Tuesday), May 25 (AP)—Allied bombers dropped 16 tons of bombs on Rabaul yesterday, starting huge fires in that powerful Japanese stronghold.

The airbase at Gasmata, on the south coast of New Britain, was attacked for the thirteenth consecutive day, the high command added.

Medium bombers struck Penfoid airbase at Koepang, Dutch Timor, starting fires visible 30 miles away. Fires started among aircraft parked on the Rabaul airfield were seen burning 30 minutes after the attack from 100 miles away, the communiqué said.

In New Guinea, two four-engined bombers made a daylight attack on Pischhafen and medium units followed up with a night attack, bombing the town and raiding the nearby Kakakoe and Simbang villages.

At Lae, on Huon Gulf 150 miles above the Allied base at Buna, attack planes at dawn bombed enemy waterfront installations causing large explosions and fires.

Critics Heckle OPA; 7 More Quit Agency

Jones to Explain RFC Plans for Rollback Financing At Session Today

By Christine Sadler
Post Staff Writer

In the face of mounting criticism against the Office of Price Administration, both from without and within, Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones will appear before the Senate Agriculture Committee this morning to explain how and what RFC funds will be used to finance the rollback in food prices ordered by OPA for June 1.

Prentiss Brown, the harried OPA chief, spent most of the day before the House Appropriations Committee and the rest of it accepting resignations of officials in his food-price division.

Although the resignations mounted to seven, only two were prompted by policy differences, Brown said. They were those of Charles H. Fleischer, price executive of the distribution branch, and Edward H. Phelps, Jr., acting head of the distribution price section.

Others Who Quit Named

Four others resigned "for reasons not associated with the present reorganization," he declared. They were: Atherton Bean, head of the food section; John K. Westberg, price executive of cereals, grains and fertilizer; George Montgomery, head of the feed section; Max Cohn, senior business specialist in the feed section.

Bean is going into the Navy. Montgomery back to Kansas State University, from which he had six-month leave of absence; Cohn back to his own feed business "because of the manpower shortage," and Westberg to private industry.

J. K. Galbraith, deputy administrator of the price agency, told the Senate Agriculture Committee yesterday the rollback subsidy to processors would be eased into effect during the first few weeks in June and the Government would protect the butter, coffee and meat trades against losses on their inventories of these commodities.

These three items were selected for a 10 per cent rollback in their retail prices, he said, because the OPA's control over them was the most complete and the subsidy could be applied to them most easily.

He declared the OPA is ready to write into its rollback order provisions to prohibit decreases in prices at producer levels, but dairy representatives reported butterfat prices already down as a result of the proposal and the price of fluid milk in jeopardy.

Angles Evident

Meantime, speculation continued as to whether the OPA would be divested of all control over food rationing and prices, and these duties transferred completely to the War Food Administration—as

See OPA, Page 4, Col. 6.

Bill Would Boost Aid to Dependents

Senator Lodge (Republican) of Massachusetts, yesterday introduced legislation to increase by 15 per cent in all categories the Government's contribution to family allowances of men in armed services. (Details on Page 8.)

Gas Crisis to Get Worse In Next Two Months, Says ODT; Deliveries Cut

Flounces Flounced

WPB Removes Ruffles, Frills From Milady's Wartime Wear

The War Production Board yesterday decreed a ban on the manufacture of women's double-breasted suits and some other special types of garments, limited cuff buttons to two and instituted a two-way control on use of fabrics aimed at trimming the sweep of evening gowns.

At the same time the WPB lifted its original ban on the use of wool for linings and pockets and said it was "acting to encourage increased unit output of women's and children's clothing out of available cotton, rayon and wool fabrics."

The "body basic," or the basic silhouette of the untrimmed dress, and the "trimming allowance," or restrictions on the size and design of fabric trimmings, constitute the new double control of fabric use.

Brought under restrictions for the first time in a revision of WPB's clothing production conservation order L-85 are maternity dresses and all types of neckwear.

Newly banned in addition to double-breasted suits and jackets,

are culottes, skating skirts, reversible or lined or quilted skirts, dresses with bi-swing or Norfolk backs, and epaulets.

Buttons on cuffs and the number of pockets for every garment, except skirts, were limited to two. Skirts may not have more than one pocket.

The trimming allowance is achieved by square-inch limitations of fabric usage, with the maximum equivalent to half a yard of 36-inch material. Design is restricted in width, thickness and depth of neckwear items. Bows, ruffles and other frills likewise are limited.

The body basic control regulations are designed to narrow the sweep of evening gowns and skirts and to eliminate the peg-top skirt, which came into fashion when the original order limited skirt hem measurements but not skirt top measurement.

Nor can there be any more between-length dressy dresses, for a dress must either conform to ankle-

See CLOTHES, Page 4, Col. 4.

No Spare Ribs

Beef Joins Gas and Potatoes In D. C. Disappearing Act

By Linton Burkett
Post Staff Writer

Famine-cursed Washington had a dearth of beef added to its shortage of potatoes and gasoline yesterday as big packers and retailers alike displayed empty refrigerators to meat-hungry customers.

The only explanation either packers or retailers could advance was an increase in demand as the supply, they said, well below normal times, has been about the same since the advent of rationing. Definitely the beef shortage could not be blamed on lack of gasoline, dealers said.

Strangely enough there is an ample supply of pork available, but beef, lamb and veal cuts are hard to get, with beef the scarcest.

Dealers said they expected a car or two to come in later in the day

yesterday but this would be cleaned out before tonight.

Admitting that stocks of beef had been low for the past week, packers still said they could explain it only by reason of an increased demand for incoming supplies had been the same as weeks previous.

A considerable easing of the potato famine was in prospect as three carloads arrived in the city yesterday and dealers were advised that shipments of 10 cars during the week could be expected. One carload of old stock Idaho potatoes arrived and was split among 10 dealers, each getting 45 sacks.

This, of course, was quickly dissipated by the arrival of one car of potatoes from Florida and another from California.

See BEEF, Page 4, Col. 5.

Short, Short Story

U. S. Males In for Brief Grief As Shorts Go Off to Join Army

By Mary Spargo
Post Staff Writer

Next winter the American male civilian will have a choice of wearing a chic little Mahatma Gandhi number under his tailored tweeds or adopting heavyweight union suits, very loosely knit, according to witnesses appearing yesterday before a House subcommittee investigating brand names and newsprint.

Committee members squirmed as they heard about the shortage in shorts and learned that "practically all the capacity of the industry on shirts and drawers is devoted to production for the armed forces."

Roy E. Cheney, president of the Underwear Institute of New York City, warned of the coming shortage of garments the Army's demand has come to deem indispensable and said:

"In my opinion the OPA has brought about a very chaotic condition in the industry. It is my further opinion there will be a shortage of all types of underwear this winter for men, women, children and infants. I believe that the supply of infants' underwear is today about 15 per cent below the minimum civilian requirement set up by WPB."

"In the other categories of underwear I believe there will be a shortage amounting to at least 25 per cent. So far as men's and boys' underwear is concerned, practically all the capacity of the industry on shirts and drawers is devoted to production for the armed services. This leaves only the production of heavyweight union suits for civilian use."

An informal poll taken among males on Capitol Hill yesterday showed opinion about equally divided.

See SHIRTS, Page 4, Col. 1.

Afterward, Too

Reds Must Have More Food To Win War, Delegate Says

By the Associated Press

Hot Springs, Va., May 24 (AP)—Soviet Russia needs more food to win the war, and is not now getting enough through lease-lend from the United States, Chairman A. D. Krutikov of the Soviet delegation to the United Nations Food Conference said at a meeting with the press today.

Krutikov's assertion was in answer to a question as to the adequacy of lend-lease. He pointed out that lend-lease naturally was not on the agenda of the food conference but concerned relations between Russia and the United States.

However, in a formal statement read to reporters he stressed the urgency of his country's food requirements not only during the war but for some time afterward.

Russia needs food now, he said, for the Red army and the populations which that army is liberating, and will need food relief "during the entire period of restoration" after the war.

He emphasized that restoration

Effect of Midwest

Floods Just Being Felt Here? 840,000 Gallons Reach D. C.

By Tom Moore McBride
Post Staff Writer

The Office of Defense Transportation last night said the gasoline shortage in the East is expected to become increasingly serious in the next 60 days as it announced restrictions on all wholesale and retail deliveries in the Eastern gasoline shortage area.

The order prohibits retail delivery of 15 commodities, including soft drinks, alcoholic beverages, ice cream, magazines and radios.

The ODT pointed out that the widespread disruption of the East-West petroleum movement by the Midwest floods is just now being felt in the shortage area—12 States and the District of Columbia.

The order limited according to commodities the number of retail and wholesale deliveries which may be made in one week from one point of origin to one point of destination. It forbade all Sunday deliveries except for ice, fresh milk and cream and specified that delivery routes of companies delivering the same product must be immediately rearranged so they neither duplicate nor overlap.

The order becomes effective at 12:01 a. m. Thursday for an indefinite period.

The ODT list of exemptions to the order includes deliveries to farms and ships, deliveries of newspapers, certain mine products and explosives, medicines, telegrams and United States mail. They apply only to the frequency of delivery, however, and not to the 40 per cent mileage cut in gasoline rations ordered by the ODT Saturday.

Gasoline Arrives

Locally there was a promise of temporary relief for gas-starved Washington as a barge load of 840,000 gallons of gasoline arrived at the Standard Oil Co.'s dock at the foot of South Capitol Street last night.

Hope for some increase in supplies for the Eastern seaboard in the near future was forecast by the announcement that the flow of oil through the "big inch" pipeline had been resumed in Arkansas after a break in the line caused several days ago by floods.

The American Automobile Association reported that the shortage seemed to be worse in the Washington area than in the whole of the famine region.

Number Trips Listed

There will be no retail delivery on these commodities: alcoholic beverages or wines, soft drinks, manufactured tobacco products, confections, malt beverages, ice cream or ices, magazines and periodicals, cut flowers (except for funerals), ornamental shrubs, nursery stocks, toys, novelties, jewelry, furs, radios, phonographs, antiques.

The number of trips which may be made each week, either wholesale or retail, follows:

1. Fresh or frozen meat, poultry, eggs, fruits, vegetables, fish and seafood.

See GAS, Page 4, Col. 2.

'Do-or-Die' Session Scheduled Today By Tax Conferees

Deadlocked Capitol tax conferees will meet in a "do or die" closed session at 10 a. m. today to seek for the fifth day a pay-as-you-earn compromise before Republicans put the Ruml tax plan to another House vote.

Democratic conferees, who hold the balance of power, ended a two-hour session of their own at 6:30 last night still in disagreement over what part of a year's tax should be forgiven in order to put tax payments on a current basis.

Ways and Means Committee Chairman Doughton commented "I'm not hopeful and I'm not hopeless about a speedy compromise."

Chairman George of the Senate Finance Committee remarked that the statement yesterday by Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau that an additional 45 billion dollars in taxes and bond sales must be realized this year was "one of the circumstances that are making it very difficult to write a tax bill."

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JAPS' WORK UNDONE—Stern view of the U. S. S. battleship Oklahoma rising to the surface at an angle of 15 degrees during the salvage operations which raised 16 of the 19 ships sunk by the Japs at Pearl Harbor.

Italian Islands Again Pounded

Victory Sidelights '43 Planes For Europe To Increase

London, May 24 (AP).—United States bombers and fighters will fly to Europe in vastly increased numbers before 1943 is ended, Col. Paul E. Burrows, commanding the new European wing of the United States Army Air Force Transport Command, said today. Planes already are leaving from the New Labrador airfield—described as the world's largest—and other centers in increasing numbers.

Goering Objects

London, May 24 (AP).—The Nazi-controlled Paris radio said today Reichsmarschall Goering had ordered the Germans to combat alleged political activity of the Catholic clergy which he said persisted against the Hitler regime in spite of all efforts to stamp it out.

Three Nazi E-Boats Sunk

London, May 24 (AP).—British navy Albacore fighter-bombers sank at least three of eight German motor torpedo boats attacked 30 miles off the Isle of Wight today and damaged all the others, the Air Ministry reported tonight. The planes caught the E-boats on a line in the English Channel and dropped several sticks of bombs on the flotilla.

Sofia Jews Get Orders

The Berlin radio said last night that all Jews living in Sofia will be transferred to "certain provincial localities" within three days. All persons of Jewish descent who do not follow the order will be deported, the broadcast said. About 25,000 Jews living in Sofia will be affected.

Rubber Workers Exempted

Rio de Janeiro, May 24 (AP).—The Brazilian government in a move to stimulate production of natural rubber today declared all rubber workers exempt from army mobilization for the present.

Japs Spread Attacks From Yangtze Base

By the Associated Press
Chungking, May 24.—Japanese troops attacked in sectors near Ichang, their important Yangtze River base 400 miles down river from Chungking, the Chinese high command reported today, and observers saw the move as either preparation for operations against Chungking or consolidation of important river territory.

The Chinese said fighting was heavy southeast and northeast of Ichang and announced the Japanese had occupied Yuyangkwan, highway center 35 miles to the south. A Chinese counterthrust was reported in the northeast sector where the communists said Japanese defense works were destroyed. At Tangyang, 40 miles northeast of Ichang, Chinese troops were said to have broken through the town gates, killing enemy troops and destroying a munitions dump and a motor car concentration.

Some Chinese quarters interpreted the Japanese activity as a drive to flank the Yangtze gorges and preparation toward an eventual attack on Chungking.

The Chinese communique also reported a clash to the westward at Nanchang, occupied capital of Kiangsi, and a Chinese raid on enemy forts on Quemoy Island off the coast of Fukien. The raiders returned with many Japanese captives, it said.

Donay Gets Six Years For Aiding Nazi

Detroit, May 24 (AP).—Because he concealed knowledge of a Nazi aviator's escape from a Canadian camp, Theodore Donay, 43-year-old naturalized citizen of German birth, was sentenced to six years and six months in prison and fined \$10,000 today.

The defendant, who was a corporal in the Kaiser's army during the first World War, firmly maintained his allegiance to the United States before hearing the sentence.

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Pantelleria, Sardinia

Rocked; Toll of Axis Aircraft Grows

By the Associated Press

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, May 24.—Pantelleria, which may yet win from Malta the title of world's most-bombarded island, was given another drastic going-over by American and British planes yesterday and the number of Axis aircraft destroyed in the Mediterranean theater in the last five days rose to 317.

United States medium bombers and Warhawks blasted Pantelleria three times within five daylight hours with results described as "excellent," and the R. A. F.'s big two-engine Wellingtons followed up by night to pulverize the little Italian island with 2-ton blockbusters.

Pantelleria, midway between Tunisia and Sicily, has undergone such a terrific pounding in the last two months that its military air field apparently has been put completely out of commission. Yesterday and last night the bombers met no fighter opposition.

Though the attacks on Pantelleria and other widespread Allied raids against Sardinia and the Italian mainland brought no announced destruction of German or Italian planes Sunday, delayed reports boosted to 305 the number of Axis craft wrecked by the northwestern African air forces alone since last Wednesday. Middle East and Malta-based squadrons, however, had accounted for at least a dozen more.

Against this wholesale destruction of enemy air power over and on Italian soil was an announced Allied loss of 18 planes of the Northwest African Air Force, a ratio of nearly 17-to-1.

Lightning fighters equipped with bombs spread havoc in parts of Sardinia yesterday. At Carloforte Harbor, on the southwest corner of the island, they scored a bomb hit on a 200-foot ship and sank three smaller vessels. Another Lightning formation shot a factory building, barracks, a gun emplacement and a radio office near Carloforte. At Iglesias, 18 miles northeast of Carloforte, an important zinc works received direct bomb hits.

(Reuters reported that the German radio announced for the first time that German troops were garrisoning Sardinia and that the Axis had a "widely built up and strongly fortified defensive front on the Italian island.")

Heavy R. A. F. bombers based in the Middle East smashed at San Giovanni, on the toe of the Italian boot Saturday night, scoring bursts on railway sidings. Long-range R. A. F. fighters were reported to have attacked enemy shipping in the Aegean Sea off Greece, seriously damaging several vessels.

Hull Says End Of Comintern to Build Allied Trust

Secretary of State Hull said yesterday Moscow's announcement of dissolution of the Communist International would promote greater trust among the Allies and contribute very greatly to the cooperation needed for winning the war and postwar undertakings.

Hull issued this first official statement from any United States Government source: "The dissolution of the Communist International is welcome news. The elimination of that organization from international life and the cessation of the type of activity in which that organization has in the past engaged is certain to promote a greater degree of trust among the United Nations and to contribute very greatly to the wholehearted cooperation necessary for the winning of the war and for successful postwar undertakings."

To a question whether the United States Government had in any way influenced the Moscow decision, Hull said he did not care to discuss that at this time.

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Lone Odyssey Chinese Tells Of 131 Days In Lifeboat

By the Associated Press

Miami, Fla., May 24.—A 25-year-old Chinese mess steward, survivor of one of the severest trials of human endurance, told today how he used a bent nail for a fish hook to help him survive 131 days adrift on a lifeboat.

Stoical Poon Lim, now almost recovered from his ordeal after treatment in a Brazilian hospital, recalled that he whiled away the hours in his tiny raft by singing folk songs from his native Hainan Island.

On the morning of November 23, 1942, a submarine torpedoed the British merchantman on which Poon Lim was serving as second steward.

One hundred and thirty-one days later, on April 3, he was picked up off the coast of Brazil. The tough Poon Lim walked ashore. Naked, except for a lifebelt, Poon Lim was washed overboard as he raced to a lifeboat. For over an hour the steward swam until he sighted an unoccupied lifeboat, and climbed aboard.

Food Stores Intact

The raft's food and water stores, meant to sustain several men for a short period, were intact. "The food lasted for 55 days," Poon Lim related, "the water for 65."

After his provisions were gone, Poon Lim extracted a nail from the raft, bent it and used it for a fish hook. He unraveled rope and fashioned a fishing line.

Parts of biscuit and the bright coil spring from a flashlight provided bait for small fish, which he then used to lure bigger fish. Frequent rainfall provided water, which he caught in a canvas and kept in the raft's container.

On the seventh day a ship passed within one-half mile of him. Several times he sighted planes overhead. Toward the end of his ordeal, blackbirds roosted on the raft at night and he caught them for additional food and bait.

Once he fell overboard, but the sea was calm and he managed to swim back to the raft.

He felt dizzy several times and suffered slight attacks of fever, but was bothered mostly by the gnawing pains in his stomach caused by the near starvation diet.

After about 128 days, Poon Lim saw the outline of land many miles away, but could not maneuver the raft toward it. An airplane flew low overhead, circled and came back, but flew away again. Later, the pilot told Poon Lim in the hospital that he had seen him the first time, but could not find him after circling back.

Reds Smash Nazi Unit in Feeler Thrust

By the Associated Press

London (Tuesday), May 25.—Still sparring in preliminaries to an expected great summer offensive, Red army troops made a feeler thrust Monday into German positions, and smashed a strong German battle reconnaissance group near Rostov, the Russians reported early today.

Elsewhere, Soviet artillery and airplanes hammered at concentrations of enemy tanks and troops moving up to the front, and two German air attacks launched upon prime Soviet military objectives at opposite ends of the long front were shattered.

Thirteen Nazi bombers were downed in a raid upon Bataisk, just south of Rostov, and only a few of the raiders broke through. The important rail station at Bataisk feeding Russian forces to the south in the Novorossiisk area was not damaged. Three Russian planes were lost.

Russian airplanes drove off 28 German craft attempting to raid military installations in the Rybachii Peninsula area on the Arctic front near Petsamo, and 10 enemy planes were destroyed, the midnight war bulletin reported.

Two hundred Germans were killed before Smolensk and a scouting unit raided German trenches, taking prisoners for information on Nazi battle dispositions.

The Russians reported large stores of booty captured since the first of May in the Lischansk area, 125 miles southeast of Kharkov, including 12 guns, 47 mortars, 229 machine guns, 2603 rifles, 61 antitank guns, 152 automatic rifles, and about 100,000 cartridges.

Soviet ships and aircraft sank six self-propelling barges and fired an enemy transport in the Black Sea in another blow at Nazi supply lines to the front, said the communique. Air units on Sunday were said to have pounced upon 20 enemy trucks, smashed a train, and blown up an ammunition dump.

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A certificate of nomination of the said candidates has been duly filed with the Insurance Department of the State of New York.

The annual election of Directors of The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States will be held at its Home Office, 393 Seventh Avenue, New York, N. Y., on December 1, 1943, from 10 o'clock a.m. to 4 o'clock p.m., and at said election twelve Directors, constituting one class of the Board of Directors, are to be elected for a term of three years from January 1, 1944. Policyholders whose policies or contracts are in force on the date of the election and have been in force at least one year prior thereto are entitled to vote in person or by proxy or by mail.

ALEXANDER McNEILL, Secretary.

May 25, 1943.

De Gaulle, Giraud Union Deemed Reality; Meeting Slated

By the Associated Press

Algiers, May 24.—Formation of a French central authority and merging of the effective of Gen. Henri Giraud and Gen. Charles de Gaulle were seen certain today and De Gaulle was expected to arrive within a few days to seal the arrangements.

A Giraud spokesman asserted that full union, in effect, already had been achieved. Spokesmen said both leaders

have settled innumerable differences and have agreed a central authority should now be formed. Under Giraud's plan, each of the generals would select two men and the six together would choose three more to form an executive committee.

This committee would be the central authority of all liberated French territory and of French resistance on soil still in enemy hands.

It was considered certain the United States and Great Britain would immediately recognize the new committee as the provisional French authority. (The fighting French in London announced its acceptance in principle and said De Gaulle would leave for Algiers this week.) The new committee would sit at Algiers and have control of all French military and civil affairs in liberated French territory. Once all France is liberated, the committee would surrender its powers to a provisional government set up under a 71-year-old law, the Treveneuc law. This would provide for a temporary national assembly which would set up machinery for election of a new senate and chamber of deputies.

Trade Act Battle Begins in Senate

The long-awaited floor battle over Administration demands for extension without change of the Reciprocity Trade Act opened in the Senate yesterday with all signs pointing to a close final vote on the issue of whether the bill should contain language reaffirming the right of Congress to terminate agreements by joint resolution.

Administration supporters last night were claiming enough votes to remove from the bill reported to the Senate by its Finance Committee last week the amendment of Senator Danaher (Republican) of

Connecticut which would recognize the authority of Congress, or the President, to terminate "every foreign trade agreement" made under the act.

Opening shot in the Republican-backed fight for the Danaher amendment was fired by Senator Vandenberg (Republican) of Michigan.

Senator Davis (Republican) of Pennsylvania, supported Vandenberg's position while Senator Malone (Democrat) of Connecticut, declared that the Danaher amendment did not "go far enough."



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Miners' 'Portal' Pay Demand Splits WLB

Officials Expect to Reach Decision Today;
More Foremen Already Given Pay Increases

By Ben W. Gilbert
Post Staff Writer

The question of "portal" pay for the Nation's coal miners was reported yesterday to have divided the War Labor Board with labor members favoring and employer members opposing compensation for the miners' "travel time" to their "working places."

As usual in such situations, the public members were left in the balance of power. No votes were taken on any issues of the coal case yet, it was said, but officials were confident of reaching a decision by tomorrow.

Foremen Given Raises

Meanwhile, it was learned that the bulk of the country's 50,000 coal mine foremen have quietly received pay increases from the Treasury's wage stabilization unit ranging up to \$40 a month a foreman.

Treasury officials explained that the increases were authorized to maintain pay differentials between miners and foremen. The differentials, were narrowed, it was explained, whenever a mine went on a six-day week, increasing the miner's "take-home" pay. Foremen, who are generally paid on a monthly basis, had to secure approval before their pay could be adjusted.

Treasury officials explained that pay of supervisory forces is adjusted customarily when the employees they supervise go on a longer work week. Such adjustments are limited to the actual amount of the increase in "take home" wages secured by production workers. In the case of coal mines, the operators generally failed to give their foremen as much as they might have been entitled to under this policy, it was said.

Charge "Buy-Out" Deal

The United Mine Workers had charged that foremen received their pay increases "in a frantic endeavor" by the operators to "buy them off" to prevent them from joining the U. M. W.

The increases have been approved mine by mine without any publicity, Treasury officials explained, because of its policy of regarding wage information as confidential. The War Labor Board makes public its wage stabilization actions.

Other labor developments yesterday included the following:
1. A spokesman for the American Federation of Labor confirmed reports that the A. F. of L.'s "peace" committee had been in-

structed to resume collective bargaining negotiations with the C. I. O. It is understood that the administration is eager that these conferences proceed as a parallel development to A. F. of L. consideration of the application of the United Mine Workers for readmission to the federation.

Murray Expected Here

2. President Philip Murray of the C. I. O. was scheduled to return to Washington today. Harry Bates, president of the A. F. of L. bricklayers and chairman of the federation's "peace" committee, was expected to contact Murray shortly to arrange for resumption of the "unity" talks.

3. The report of the special presidential panel hearing the demand of one million workers affiliated with the nonoperating railroad brotherhoods for substantial wage increases was expected to reach the White House within the next two days. The panel was set up by presidential order within the framework of the Railway Labor Act, rather than under the War Labor Board.

House Postpones Antistrike Bill; Backing Dwindles

House consideration of the Connally-Smith antistrike bill yesterday was set for Wednesday, June 2, two days after expiration of John L. Lewis' present mine strike truce. Decision to postpone action was reached at a conference with House leaders attended by Representative Howard Smith (Democrat) of Virginia, chief author of the House bill and Representative William M. Colmer (Democrat) of Mississippi, in charge of the labor bill rule.

Support for the House version of the bill has been dwindling since seven top Government war agencies opposed the far-reaching legislation on the grounds that it would hamper war production by stimulating industrial unrest.

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Rubber-Plant Strike Marked by Fistfights As Pickets Halt Night Shift; 44,000 Idle

By Carter L. Davidson
Associated Press Staff Writer

Akron, Ohio, May 24.—Sporadic fistfights broke out and the number of idle Akron rubber workers jumped to 44,000 today as pickets formed a shoulder-to-shoulder bar-

Raise to \$12,000 Voted by Senate On ICC Salaries

The Senate voted yesterday to raise salaries of Interstate Commerce Commission members from \$10,000 to \$12,000 a year. Senator McKellar (Democrat) of Tennessee, protested that "anyone getting \$10,000 a year should be satisfied at this critical period" but later withdrew his objection after Senator Wheeler (Democrat) of Montana, observed that the ICC is bearing "the greatest burden ever imposed on any commission in the history of the United States."

He added that as a result of Federal pay increases some of the agency's employees are being paid more than the Commissioners. The action was taken on an amendment offered by Wheeler to the independent offices appropriations bill.

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ricade at gates of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.'s largest plant, turning away afternoon shift employees.

Several thousand pickets, protesting a War Labor Board wage decision, blocked the three gates to Goodyear's No. 1 factory on Akron's east side.

William I. Vaught, secretary-treasurer of the C. I. O. United Rubber Workers Goodyear local, declared virtually none of the 2 p. m. (Eastern War Time) shift entered through the picket line. A company spokesman, agreeing, declared "These men are not all from Goodyear by any means. They're the same bunch that came over from Goodrich and Firestone last night."

War production had virtually stopped at the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., where 16,000 were

absent, at the B. F. Goodrich Co., where 14,000 were out and at Goodyear, where officials estimated 14,000 employees were missing. Goodyear's No. 2 and No. 3 plants on the south side were affected also, but not as seriously as No. 1. The Goodyear Aircraft Corp., the tire company's warplane subsidiary, operated normally.

The idle factories manufacture such items as gas masks, barrage balloons, life belts, airplane ejection seats, tank treads, antiaircraft guns and machinegun clips as well as all types of combat and civilian tires, spokesmen said.

The WLB pared to 3 cents an hour its panel's recommendation of 8 cents, declaring the higher figure, which the unions sought under the "Little Steel" formula, would unbalance the industry-wide and Akron wage structures.



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You can't keep a good man down. Bill Smith, assistant foreman, is on the way up again, working hard for his family, for his country, and for a better world.

This wartime business of living... living in a constantly changing world... demands new ways of life. For many, like Bill Smith, it means learning to live and make a living under brand-new conditions.

The last war was a "silk shirt" war. This one is not. It means working and doing without. It means buying still more War Bonds. It means saving more in a regular savings account. It means doing your part now to help finance the war, help keep down inflation, and help win the war. It means getting ready to take your place in the post-war world as a good citizen on a sound financial basis.

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Brief Grief Faces Males in Short Shortage

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vided between the Mahatma Gandhi idea and the "heavies."

Some enterprising males ran over a list of household articles such as draperies, sheets and guest towels that could be the exercise of ingenuity and skill on the part of the "little woman" be converted into undergarments reminiscent of the good old pre-OPA days.

The importance of brand names to the proper clothing of the public was developed by A. R. Kneibler, vice president of Coopers, Inc., of Kenosha, Wis., underwear manufacturer.

Kneibler told the committee that until the advent of a famous brand of men's underwear, "men's undergarments were designed almost solely for body coverage. They bore no particular relationship to men's anatomy. They hung loosely from either the shoulders or the hip."

"Yet in the field of feminine apparel, brasserie, girdles and similar items designed to meet physiological needs had become generally and gratefully accepted."

Sees Threat to Progress

If standardization of product and price is imposed by OPA, progress will stop, Kneibler said, in the field of developing better undergarments for men.

Let the committee understand the importance of the subject, Kneibler submitted a letter from Flight Lieut. C. S. Archer of the Royal Air Force, stationed in India.

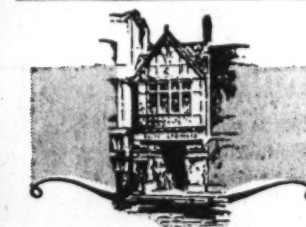
"Sir: This will probably strike you as an unusual request. Since I gave up wearing a staph—Japanese underpants—I took to your shorts, since then I have used none other. Now in India, adobies (alias laundries, very alias) fight with one's underpants amongst the rocks and crocodiles of the Ganges. Coopers Jockey shorts put up a grand struggle, but the odds were too great. Any moment I expect to fall through the seat of what is left."

"To add to my troubles the lads from China and Burma swept in here last spring, bought up all the Coopers available and swept out again. India is to import no more, so what? I have written to friends in Durban and New York. I have cabled to my sister in Ireland for half a dozen pair I left behind me in my rush to come abroad and now I am trying you, hoping some will get through to me."

"My waist measurement is 34, not 32 inches, size 34. I want a dozen pairs of the Y fronted shortest of shorts. As for money I think if you will write to Houghton & Mifflin of Boston, who published my novel 'Hankow Return' last year, there ought to be enough left over from my royalties to buy me underpants."

McLaughlin Nominated

President Roosevelt nominated Gerald McLaughlin of New Jersey today to be a judge of the Third United States Circuit Court of Appeals.



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Gas Shortage to Get Worse

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shell fish, live plants for food production—five wholesale, three retail.

2. Bread and perishable bakery products—six wholesale and three retail.

3. Alcoholic beverages or wines, not including malt beverages—one wholesale, no retail.

4. Soft drinks, manufactured tobacco products, confectioneries, or a combination thereof—two wholesale and no retail.

5. Malt beverages, wholesale—in bottles, one; in kegs, two; retail, none.

6. French milk or cream (no two retail deliveries on consecutive days)—six wholesale, four retail.

7. Ice cream or ices, four wholesale, none retail.

8. Magazines and periodicals—four wholesale, none retail.

9. Laundry or drycleaning—five wholesale, two retail.

10. Ice—seven, retail and wholesale.

11. Parts or supplies for repairs—six wholesale, six retail.

12. Cut flowers (except for funerals)—five wholesale, none retail.

13. Ornamental shrubs, nursery stocks, toys, novelties, jewelry, furs, radios and antiques—two wholesale, no retail.

14. Any commodity not listed—two wholesale, two retail.

Meanwhile, as Washingtonians and residents of 17 Eastern seaboard States went about because of the most critical fuel crisis yet experienced, District Office of Price Administration investigators reported 156 violations of the pleasure driving ban and Maryland authorities announced 1684 other noncompliance, all observed since Saturday.

Montgomery County police as well as OPA inspectors from Washington will enforce the nonessential driving ban in Montgomery County, Md., Rationing Administrator Julius P. Stadler announced last night. Cars parking in front of theaters, amusement parks, bowling alleys and other places of amusement will be checked and their numbers turned over to a special enforcement panel composed of former State's Attorneys Albert M. Boule and James H. Pugh, who will hold "hearings" in cases where it is deemed necessary. Police will stop and question motorists only when they are obviously violating the ban.

The Baltimore office of OPA yesterday instructed the county

boards to inform gasoline dealers that they were to sell only three gallons of gasoline to a customer if he is essential and has less than one-fourth of a tank of gasoline. Administrator Stadler remained in line more than half an hour at a gasoline station yesterday and when he reached the pump he got three gallons.

Approximately a dozen local gas stations opened momentarily with dwindling supplies either left over from Saturday or shipped here by truck from Baltimore—closed after automobiles lined up for blocks to absorb all existing supplies. Three stations received aid from police in dispersing crowds.

Taxicab company officials estimated that nearly half the city's 5000 cabs were idle because of empty tanks, but persons in the downtown area experienced no more difficulty than usual in getting taxis, except at the evening rush hour.

In an effort to meet the problems of the entire East, the Office of Defense Transportation, OPA and the War Production Board spent the day in compiling lists to place priority allocations for extra gasoline for "essential community services" which would not be able to operate under the 40 per cent cut, and additional lists of what less necessary commercial driving could be drastically curtailed.

Public transportation, which underwent its first drastic wartime curtailment yesterday when the Capital Transit Co. reduced or curtailed 34 of its routes, progressed far more smoothly than had been anticipated either by company officials or by local traffic heads.

Bus riders frequently were confused by rerouting and discontinuance in service, but had little difficulty in discovering how to adjust themselves to the new schedules.

Meanwhile, Capital Transit warned that the changes released yesterday are not final and that continuing adjustments will be made to conform with ODT regulations. No other specific variances were announced, however.

Taxi drivers, likewise confronted with a 40 per cent cut in operations, have "absolutely no idea" of quitting their business, John J. Royer, Jr., president of a company handling 1600 of the city's 5000 cabs, said yesterday.

"They are perfectly willing to work and take a loss during this emergency, even though they will be limited to about 60 miles per day, six days a week," Royer told The Post.

He emphasized, however, that drivers no longer will be able to take long trips to the suburbs with a single passenger. Group riding will be the rule rather than the exception, he declared, and those who wish to use taxis during rush hours are asked to stand on the side of the street that corresponds to the direction in which they are headed.

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WPB to Remove Dress Flounces

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length evening dress regulations or daytime length measurements.

Maternity dresses, and dresses for women more than 5 feet 7½ inches tall, may be one inch longer than the prescribed dress length for regular sizes.

Although maternity dress allowances are restricted for the first time, the hip measurement may exceed the body basic measurement without curtailing any other measurement allowed in usual women's wear.

The WPB emphasizes that the revision, as well as the original L-85 order, allows wide designing latitude. At the same time, the announcement said, the basic measurements are planned to keep existing wardrobes in fashion, and to discourage nonessential purchases for replacements.

The order takes effect May 27 for autumn and winter clothing which manufacturers soon will be cutting, and July 1 for summer wear.

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Beef Joins Spuds On Famine List

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other from South Carolina helped farmers to relieve the week-old famine.

Produce dealers generally had sufficient gasoline on hand yesterday to make deliveries, but are apprehensive of what will happen during the week if gasoline stocks are not quickly replenished. Their small reserves will not last many days, they said.

As far as could be learned all of the spuds arriving yesterday went into civilian consumer channels.

On the brighter side of the picture there was a good supply of the once scarce cabbage and lettuce in the city. Other vegetables also appeared to be here in encouraging quantities.

Meanwhile yesterday one grocery wholesaler and two retailers were charged in Municipal Court with violating potato price ceilings regulations.

Henry Sherman, wholesaler, of 1364 C Street Southeast, and William Hoffer, retailer, of 1335 B Street Northeast, pleaded not guilty and will be tried Wednesday by Judge Louis Grossman.

According to the OPA information sheet filed in Municipal Court, Sherman is accused of selling potatoes for \$7.50 per hundred, when the ceiling was \$5.40; Hoffer of selling two pounds of potatoes for 35 cents when the ceiling "was set liberally" at 9 cents per pound, and Grossman of selling two pounds for 29 cents, when the ceiling was 9 cents per pound.

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Critics Heckle OPA; Seven More Resign Agency Posts

OPA, from Page 1.

a means of restoring public confidence on the hectic food front and of securing a more effective administration.

These angles were evident: 1. Food groups are making a concentrated and concerted effort to "bust the OPA wide open."

Irrked to the breaking point by its regulations, which they term "half-baked" and drawn up without any consideration of the consequences to the trade involved, they are determined to finish the job of discrediting the agency if it is possible.

The fresh vegetable trade is "embarrassed" by the "open scandal" of vegetable prices and black markets, feels it has lost face with the public and blames the OPA. Admitting their failure to control any single fresh vegetable price, OPA officials charge lack of cooperation.

They blame the dairy industry for lowering prices to producers "even before any rolbacks at the top has gone into effect and when it was known the subsidy would absorb the rolbacks processor levels."

2. Open disregard of price ceilings rarely before seen in this country. One official named checking pork prices in April, after dollar and cents ceilings had gone into effect, found 80 per cent of the stores in more than 50 cities

selling openly above the maximums. OPA recently said its inspectors found "worked pretty well."

3. Congress will fight the subsidy, right up to voting time—and even then unless the OPA's face is washed very thoroughly or is relieved of the food portion of its responsibilities.

4. The Board of Directors shall be elected by a majority vote of the Board for the unexpired term of the Board.

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Block-Rider Picked For Laziest-Man Title in District

BLOCK-RIDER, from Page 1.

A candidate for the laziest man in the District was nominated yesterday by a District official, who is pretty mad about the whole thing.

It seems this official, driving to work yesterday morning and thinking of the curtailment of bus and streetcar service, spotted a man in the 2400 block of Sixteenth Street obviously looking for a taxi.

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WATS Seeking 750 Members

Plans for recruiting as many as 180 women a week toward an ultimate goal of 750 for the WATS—Women's Auxiliary Transit Service to you nonbureaucrats—began yesterday as Edward D. Merrill, president of the Capital Transit Co., was host to 20 feminine representatives of local civic organizations at a luncheon at the Hotel Statler.

Miss Elizabeth Cullen, president

of the Quota Club, was unanimously elected chairman and Mrs. Wayne Wirgman vice chairman of a committee formed on the spot to promote the WATS for essential war work—transporting wartime Washington from Allied chiefs of staff to \$1440 Government clerks. Merrill pointed out that ranks of the WATS now boast 7 streetcar operators, 2 bus drivers, 5 in training and 19 in the Pentagon Building.

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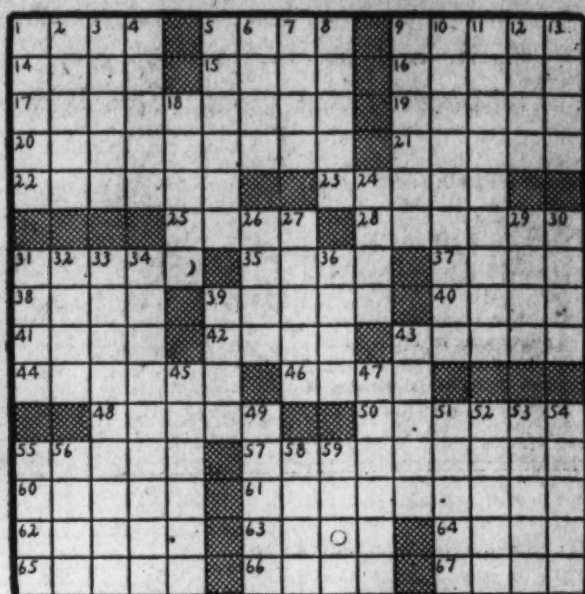
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Today's Cross Word Puzzle

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5 The dope
9 Rug improver
14 Jal
15 City in Oklahoma
16 River in France
17 Jabberwocky
19 Doctor's comp-
20 Intoxicate
21 Gun metal
22 Tasted
23 Creator
24 Tennis deterrent
25 Bulgarian capital
26 Custom
27 How
28 Wolfhound
29 Adjutants
40 Sailors swear
41 Spanish muralist
42 Take it easy
43 Indians
44 Throat-weary
45 Comic strip
46 Rhythmic
48 Saltwater
49 Schoolboy
50 To duck
51 Schoolboy
52 To make the
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54 To make the
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DOWN
1 Perilous to
2 Put in a row
3 Silenced
4 Underpinnings
5 Chide
6 Wild ox
7 Upset a pin-ball
8 Machine
9 Revolve
10 Back-to-school
11 To blind
12 English general
13 To blind
14 Pustillie palace
15 God who is
16 Having a field
17 Money
18 Tilters three
19 Edge over
20 Unconvincing
21 God of 60 across
22 Combining form
23 Of the old oil
24 Dance for French
25 Deep-dyed plots
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Suit to Challenge Rent-Fixing Is Dismissed

By the Associated Press

A suit challenging the Price Administrator's authority to fix rents was dismissed yesterday by the Supreme Court on the grounds that there was "collusion" between a South Bend, Ind., landlord and tenant in filing the litigation.

By its unanimous decision, the court also set aside the decision of a Federal District Court at South Bend holding unconstitutional the emergency price control act of 1942 and congressional delegation of rent control powers, under the act, to the Price Administrator.

The court emphasized, however, that it was not ruling on the constitutional issues raised by the suit. Had Been Appealed

The Justice Department had appealed the lower court's decision. The court indicated that it had changed its original plan to adjourn June 1 by agreeing to review a new challenge of the constitution-

ality of a 48-cent-per-bushel penalty imposed on wheat produced in excess of AAA quotas. Arguments on the case were set for June 1, which may mean that adjournment will be delayed at least until June 7.

Back to Texas

In other actions, the court: Denied, for the second time, a review to Max Stephan, Detroit restaurant owner convicted of treason and sentenced to hang.

The Court announced no change in a stay of execution it granted on April 14 until final disposition of the motion for a new trial. Such a motion was denied Saturday by the Federal District Court at Detroit, but it was understood attorneys for Stephan plan a direct appeal to the Supreme Court next Thursday from this decision.

Held that maritime workers may be covered by State unemployment insurance laws. The issue was raised by maritime operators in New York and Louisiana.

Wife Charges Desertion Divorces Palmer Heir

Chicago, May 24 (AP)—Lieut. Potter Palmer 3d, an heir to one of Chicago's largest fortunes, was divorced today by Mrs. Rose Palmer. The grounds were desertion. The court approved a property settlement, details of which were not made public, and granted Mrs. Palmer custody of two children, Rose Saltonstall Palmer, 10, and Potter Palmer 4th, 9.

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Sgt.—Right—and that's why you see the cars of so many different railroads in that Burlington train—in every Burlington train. Actually, the Burlington is a link between railroads of the North, East, South and West.

Pvt.—I can see from the map that it covers a lot of important territory, all right.

Sgt.—Yes, the Burlington Lines total 11,000 miles

in 13 states—some of them agricultural, some of them industrial, and all of them mighty important in winning this war. But it isn't just size that makes it such an essential link. Another big reason is that the Burlington serves 22 major gateways and has a lot of interchange points within its territory.

Pvt.—What's an interchange point?

Sgt.—A place where freight cars are switched from one railroad to another.

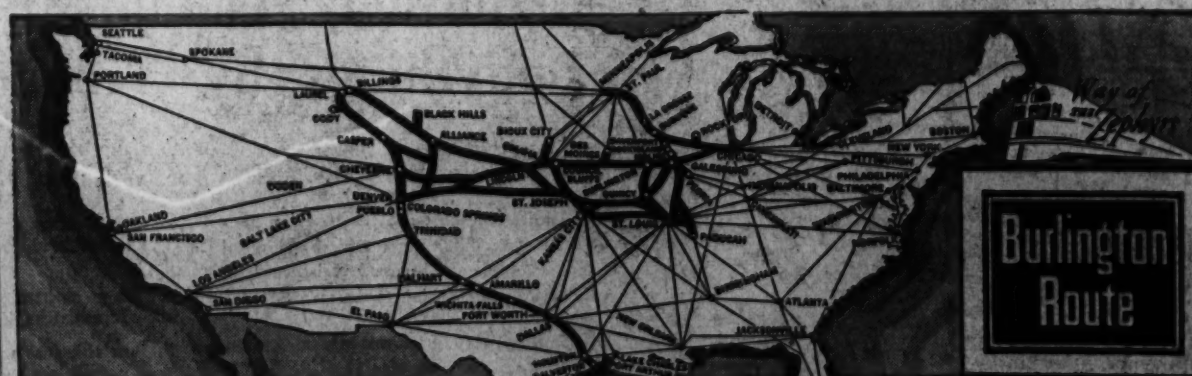
Pvt.—Say, how come you know so much about railroads?

Sgt.—That's easy, my dad's a railroader.

Pvt.—Not a Burlington railroader, by any chance?

Sgt.—How'd you guess it? Yes, he's been with the Burlington for over twenty years, and he's every bit as proud of his job as I am of mine.

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Every employee extends his sincere thanks to every rider for his cooperation in having his fare ready when boarding a street car or bus, moving to the rear promptly and exiting through the center doors. Should any further change in service during this period be necessary, or should we be able to render our former service, we will notify the public promptly. In the meantime, the teamwork and the American spirit of the public and our employees is contributing to that tremendous force that will most surely spell defeat for the Axis.

Sincerely,

E. D. Merrill

President

CAPITAL TRANSIT COMPANY

P. S.—For the convenience of the public the personnel of our Information Department at Michigan 6363, extension 572 (open from 7 a. m. to 12 midnight) has been augmented to answer questions concerning service.

New Plea Issued For Postwar Works

Senate Delays Action on Fund for Resources Planning Board; May Vote Thursday

With the National Resources Planning Board's future threatened by lack of funds, President Roosevelt asked Congress yesterday for authority to spend up to \$5 million dollars to stimulate an extensive postwar public works program in cooperation with State and local authorities.

The President's letter, addressed to Vice President Wallace, appealed for a "coordinated program" of appropriations and legislation to support public works and improvements. The aim, it was explained, would be to ease unemployment accompanying demobilization.

The Senate takes up Thursday a proposal to raise from \$200,000 to \$334,000 the funds which its Appropriations Committee allotted the NRPB for the new fiscal year.

The House allowed the agency nothing. The board originally asked \$1,000,000.

President Roosevelt pleaded for advance planning authority to store up a reservoir of work that can be undertaken when the war is over and thus be useful in providing employment opportunities and demands for materials.

He ordered all Federal agencies to clear through the Bureau of the Budget and the Planning Board as soon as possible information on proposed works. This information, he said, would be included in an early recommendation to Congress for a coordinated program of appropriations and legislation that will be necessary to enable the Federal Government to be prepared for a rapid start on a Federal public works and improvement program.

His letter was accompanied by proposed legislation under which

the Federal Government would be authorized to allocate at least 10 million dollars to States and local planning agencies next fiscal year. Of this sum 5 million dollars would be equally divided among States and 50 per cent would be divided on a population basis.

Another provision would authorize the President to spend up to 75 million dollars for advances to States and local authorities for surveys and engineering work on projects of national significance.

William O. Beall's Funeral in Tulsa; Burial to Be Here

Funeral services for William O. Beall, member of an old Washington-Maryland family, were held yesterday in Tulsa, Okla. The body was to be shipped here for burial in Glenwood Cemetery, but flood waters that disrupted rail service caused a delay.

Mr. Beall, 72, was the son of

Charles B. Beall, who was clerk and deputy clerk of the Supreme Court of the United States for 45 years, and Mrs. Adelaide Ricketts Beall.

He attended Columbian College (now George Washington University), and Columbian Law School. Mr. Beall is survived by his wife, Mrs. Marie F. Beall, of Tulsa, and a sister and a brother of this city, Mrs. R. Edwin Joyce and Dr. Charles M. Beall.

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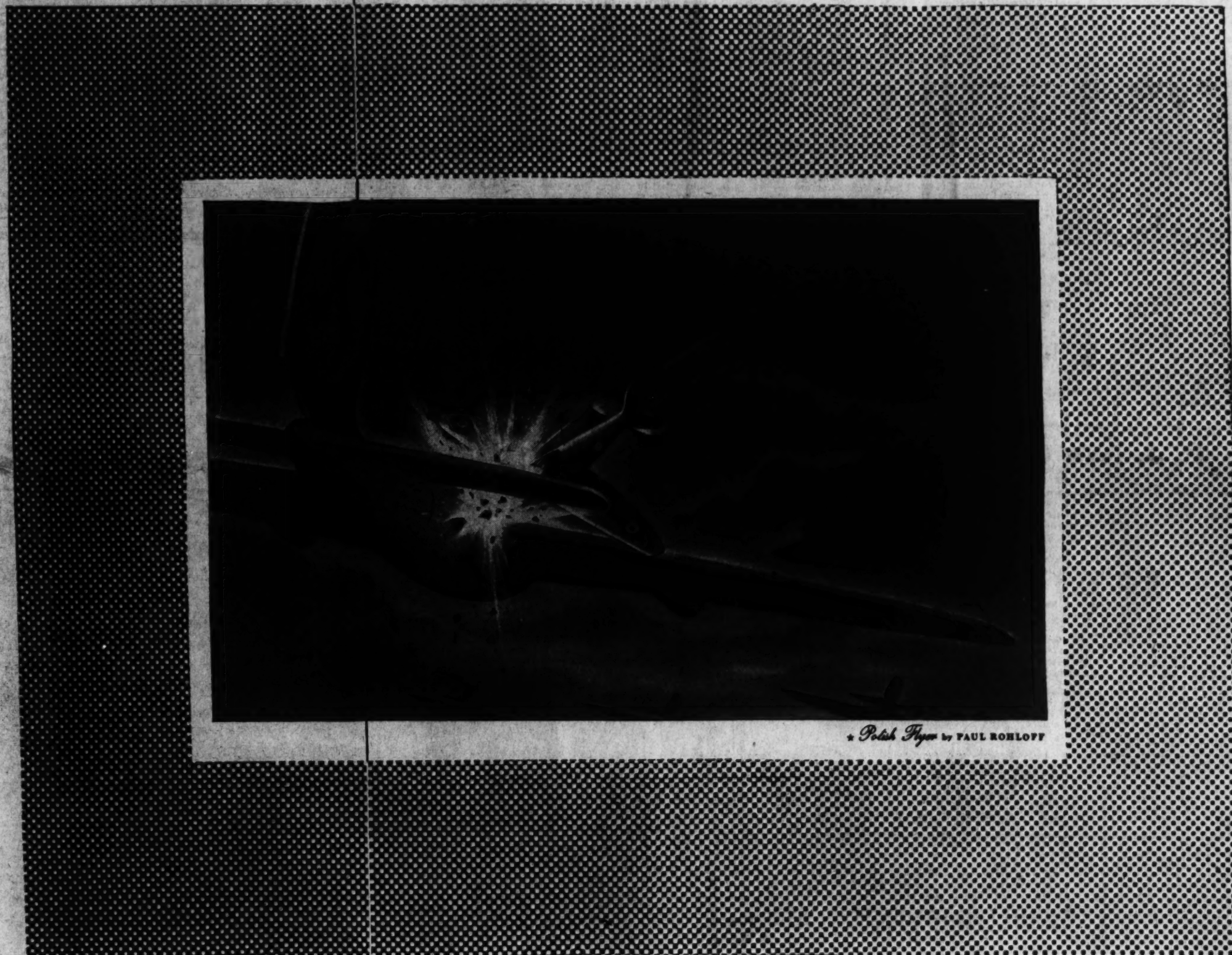
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Polish fliers played. They were the fewest of the few, but the R. A. F. was quick to call them the bravest of the brave. One of them became legendary. On the day when Britain's skies were darkest with German planes, he shot down his sixth Messerschmitt, then got a hulking Dornier bomber in his

*gunsight just as his guns gave out, all ammunition gone. So he whirled up over it and then crashed it head on, spending himself and his Hurricane, in the hope that London might be spared what his own Warsaw had suffered ******



* Polish Flyer by PAUL ROHLFST

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"this war's Marne was the embattled sky above the English channel"

★ Somebody once defined morale simply as "the will to live." But history's greatest test of morale, the Battle of Britain, suggests that a better definition of it would be "the willingness to die." Down the ages the cry of the warrior had rung: "Only those are fit to live who are not afraid to die." But never was it more decisively proved than in that fateful September of 1940, when Hitler's hordes were held back, by a few aviators unafraid to die. Until that moment, Europe's "blood-thirsty guttersnipe" had everything his own way, from the conquest of Poland to the collapse of France. But in that moment, his "wave of the future" was turned back, from the flood tide of apparent immediate victory, to the ebb tide of ultimate inevitable defeat. That was the immeasurable accomplishment of a few dauntless youngsters in Spitfires and Hurricanes who

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Admiral Glassford Nominated for Elevation in Rank

Rear Admiral William A. Glassford, Jr., Phoenix, Ariz., decorated for successfully negotiating use of French facilities at Dakar by United States Naval forces, was nominated by President Roosevelt yesterday for promotion to vice admiral.

The citation accompanying Glassford's decoration said that his actions "paved the way for close and effective operations at sea" in the Dakar area.

Two other nominations sent by the President to the Senate would promote Rear Admiral Raymond A. Spruance, Indianapolis, to vice admiral, and Capt. Wilder Dup. Eaker, Bay City, Mich., to rear admiral.

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Lodge Would Increase Pay To Dependents

By Robert De Vore
Post Staff Writer

To help dependents of soldiers and sailors meet rising living costs, Senator Lodge (Republican) of Massachusetts yesterday introduced legislation to increase by 15 percent in all categories the Government's contribution to the family allowances of men in the armed services.

Taking the experience of his own State as an example, the Senator declared that dependents of enlisted men are finding it increasingly necessary to turn to public charities to pad out allowances received from men in the services.

The measure was prepared, he stated, in expectation "that the rate of induction of men with dependents will increase in the near future."

Congress, he stated, has the "duty of exercising common ordinary foresight in meeting a situation which is sure to arise in the near future when the number of servicemen's dependents is greatly increased."

Lodge called upon Congress to take "prompt action" on his bill "to avoid unnecessary suffering."

He added: "Congress has established the principle that, of all men, the service man should be the least troubled by family distress at the very moment that he is risking his own life for his country."

111 Million Annual Cost

"We must keep faith with that policy and we cannot keep faith if rates are not maintained on a basis which is adequate to do the tasks to which we are committed."

Both Congress and the President, Lodge observed, have recognized increased costs in legislation raising by 15.4 percent the average monthly earnings of Federal employees.

Under the Lodge bill, the Government's contribution to family allowances for an enlisted man with a wife and no children would be raised from \$28 to \$32.50 a month, with allowances for a married man with one child would be increased from \$40 to \$46 a month.

In March, the last month for which figures are available, Federal contributions to family allowances of enlisted men in the Army approximated \$61,600,000. The Lodge bill would add about \$9,240,000 to this figure and would bring the cost of allowances to families of soldiers to \$110,840,000, calculated on a 12-month basis.

Col. J. H. Wallace Of District Wins Third Flying Cross

Already the recipient of two Distinguished Flying Crosses, Col. James H. Wallace of Washington has received his third such decoration, headquarters of the European theater of operations of the U. S. Army announced yesterday.

Wallace was one of 12 fliers of the U. S. Army Eighth Air Force to be presented British war decorations for "valor and extraordinary achievements" on combat missions. The presentations were made by R. A. F. Air Chief Marshal A. T. Harris during a "Bomber Night" ceremony at the U. S. Bomber Command Headquarters.

A member of the General Staff Corps, Wallace was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross in 1937 for bringing a plane to safety after its right engine had disintegrated at an altitude of 4000 feet, in Panama. He has also received the Oak Leaf Cluster, the British Distinguished Flying Cross and the Silver Star.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. James K. Wallace of 1322 Monroe Street Northwest, Wallace was born in Washington 37 years ago. He attended Technical High School, Catholic University and Georgia Tech before enlisting in the Army Air Corps in 1928. He was commissioned a second lieutenant at Kelly Field in 1929. At one time an instructor at Randolph Field, he was sent to Seattle, Wash., to command interceptor bombers after the Pearl Harbor attack.

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OPA Increases Meat and Fat Ration of Loggers and Miners

Extra meat and fat rations amounting to a 75 per cent increase each week was authorized yesterday by the Office of Price Administration for loggers, miners, fishermen, sheepherders and others remote from fresh food supplies.

The new allotment adds a maximum of 1.8 points a day to the ration of persons found eligible. If used for hamburger, this addition would yield about 2 1/4 pounds a week extra.

Mrs. Agnes E. Meyer, writing in The Post in the issue of May 10 after an inspection visit to some of the Pennsylvania coal mining areas, said that the lunches carried into the mines by workers were "pathetic." There was no meat in any of them, she wrote, one man having two ears of birdseed corn and some chunks of white bread without butter. "Every box had starches but very few proteins and not enough fats," Mrs. Meyer wrote.

The OPA decision was reached after weeks of wavering and many recommendations from nutrition experts in the Department of Agriculture. Strong pressure from mining and logging areas and from labor unions finally turned the tables against some OPA officials who argued the heavy meat eaters could well shift to a diet that contained more salads and greens.

Workers in the isolated areas, unable to supplement their points by restaurant eating, were reportedly leaving their jobs in considerable numbers to take lighter work in "meatier" places.

The prime test of eligibility for the extra ration will be accessibility to unrationed fish, poultry and eggs, the OPA said. Fishermen, who have unlimited access to fish, will not be ruled out on that account, however, if they are not able to get poultry and eggs.

Floods Drive More Families From Homes

By the Associated Press

Recessions upstream narrowed the Midwestern flood zone yesterday but torrents of water poured through and over dikes and forced hundreds of families to join the homeless multitudes.

The Mississippi apparently has reached its crest at Grafton and Alton, Ill., and St. Louis, Mo. The Illinois fell at Peoria and to the north. The Missouri eased down toward its bed. The danger thus was concentrated along a 125-mile stretch of the Mississippi from St. Louis to Cape Girardeau, Mo., and along a 100-mile reach of the Illinois from below Peoria to the confluence with the Mississippi.

The Red Cross estimated that more than 40,000 families—about 160,000 persons—were routed or otherwise affected by the inundation. Almost 10,000 troops had been assigned to rescue, relief and other duties in the imperilled areas.

A focal point of anxiety was Beardstown, Ill. The Illinois River there inched up to 29.45 feet and continued to rise toward the top of the dike—a seawall surmounted by a makeshift barricade that will protect the city until the water reaches the 38-foot level, if the barrier holds.

Already 4500 of the 6500 residents had left, and all remaining women, children and the aged were ordered to evacuate. Typhoid inoculations were provided for emergency workers. Almost all stores were closed. Militiamen patrolled the community to preclude looting.

One soldier was drowned, raising the death toll to 7. At Cape Girardeau, the Mississippi attained 40.5 feet, a 100-year record, and a crest of 41.6 was expected. Part of the business district was under water. The power plant was isolated.

At Peori, Ill., 12,000 men, laboring in two 12-hour shifts, reared a sandbag wall to protect the Caterpillar Tractor Co.'s war plant from the Illinois River and Farm Creek.

Record Raid Hits Dortmund

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tion instructions, the Federal Communications Commission reported in New York.

In a shattering inaugural of the western half of Prime Minister Churchill's experiment to bomb the Axis into submission, an average in excess of 33 tons of high explosives and incendiaries plunged down on Dortmund every minute for a full hour.

The irresistible fire and destruction was delivered at the ratio of more than 8 pounds for every one of the half million residents of the iron, steel, coal and transportation center.

To reach Dortmund the R. A. F. sky fleet, three-fourths of which was made up of four-engine giants capable of lugging Britain's biggest block-busters, had to cross the Ruhr's defense system, regarded by the British as the world's most concentrated network of guns, planes, searchlights and detectors. Thirty-eight of the big bombers failed to get back.

When the last planes reached Dortmund, however, smoke already was billowing up as high as 15,000 feet and one pilot said "the flak had become so moderate it didn't worry us." The taming of the guns was accomplished in spite of the fact the Nazis keep an estimated 750,000 men employed in the air.

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The number of planes attacking Dortmund was not disclosed, but the air ministry's terse communique employed the rare superlative "very great strength."

It was the first time the communique even stated flatly that "the defenses of the Ruhr were beaten down," and it added that "great damage was done."

A German communique said

their bombers raided British ship building yards at Sunderland last night, setting large fires, after low level daylight attacks yesterday on Bournemouth and Hastings in South England. Five of these planes were shot down, the English said.

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The Day in Congress

TODAY

Senate
Meets at 11 a. m.
Committees: Interstate Commerce Subcommittee, open, on agreements between common carriers, 10:30 a. m.; Agriculture Subcommittee, open, hearing on OPA rollback order with respect to food, 10 a. m.; Appropriations Subcommittee, executive, Commerce bill, 2 p. m.; Appropriations Subcommittee, executive, Agriculture bill, 10:30 a. m.; Appropriations Subcommittee, executive, to mark up lend-lease and deficiency bills, 10:30 a. m.; conference on tax bill, 10 a. m.

House
Meets at noon.
Committees: Appropriations Subcommittee on Deficiency and on Labor-Federal Security, both executive, and both at 10 a. m.; Interstate Subcommittee (Boren) open, on brand names and newsprint, 10 a. m.; Patman Small Business, open, OPA regulations, 10:30 a. m.; Insular Affairs, open, economic distress in Puerto Rico, 10:30 a. m.; Bank-

ing and Currency, open, on CCC, 10:30 a. m.; Indian Affairs, open, Pueblo reservation, 10:30 a. m.; Agriculture, executive, wage scale in canning industry, 10 a. m.; Smith Special Committee, open, rent control, 10 a. m.

YESTERDAY

Senate
Considered bill for two-year extension of Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act.

Received Lodge bill to increase allotments to dependents of enlisted men.

Received President's request for Federal grants to aid States and local governments in planning postwar projects.

Recessed at 4:35.

House

Heard Representative Bradley criticize secrecy surrounding United Foods Conference.

Received Snyder bill for construction of postwar super highway system.

Began debate on antipoll tax bill.

Adjourned at 4:52.

5 Jap Bombers Destroyed in Attu Battle

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Information is still lacking here regarding the base from which the enemy bombers are operating against Attu. While it is possible that they attempted a 1200-mile over-water flight from the Kurile Islands and return, the belief is growing that both of the raiding groups were carrier-based.

If the planes were carrier-based, it may be assumed that a protecting force of other Japanese warships have moved toward the western Aleutians and that United States sea and air forces are scouting vast reaches of the North Pacific in a hunt for the enemy.

Powerful American naval forces already control the sea approaches to both American-controlled Attu and Japanese-held Kiska, and are prepared to hurl back any Japanese attempt to reinforce their weakened Aleutian positions.

Claim 7 Ships Damaged
The extent of U. S. Naval forces in the area never has been officially disclosed. However, the Japanese in broadcasts have claimed—without confirmation—to have damaged seven United States

vessels in air and submarine activity. Those claims assert that one battleship, two cruisers, a destroyer and two warships of unspecified type have been damaged and one destroyer sunk.

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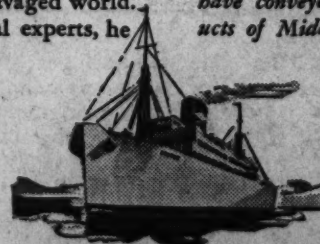
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34 From Capital Among American Civilians Held by Japs as Prisoners in Philippines

In naming a large group of American civilians interned by the Japanese in the Philippines, the War Department yesterday listed more than 34 persons whose relatives or friends reside in the Washington area.

Among them were Mr. and Mrs. William C. Waldo, whose internment was reported November 3, 1942, and George Brown, former American University football and basketball star, who was reported a prisoner on April 1, 1942. Previous War Department listings also carried the names, repeated yesterday, of William S. Parquette and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pickering. Persons whose "emergency addresses" were listed in the Washington area follow:

Prisoners Named
Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Barnes and daughters, Carroll and Georgia; Miss Medora E. Barnes, aunt, of 2308 Ashmead Place Northwest; A. H. Bishop, husband of Mrs. Bishop, of 2300 Woodley Road Northwest; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brambles, son-in-law and daughter of Mrs. Paul F. Whitacre, formerly of 1400 Fairmont Street Northwest; Clem Breen, Francis E. Walter, House of Representatives; George S. Brown, son of Mrs. Dora Brown of 3030 Wisconsin Avenue Northwest; Miss Marion Carter, daughter of Mrs. Charles J. Carter of 1737 Thirty-fourth Street Northwest.

Also Abe Cohen, Miss Rose Lisenky, friend, of 529 Randolph Street Northwest; J. A. Connor, son of Joseph Connor, Jr., of 3939 Fulton Street Northwest; Arthur H. Evans, son of the Rev. J. H. Evans of 700 Butternut Street, Takoma Park; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Pickering, parents of Mrs. Finley J. Gibbs of 5152 Manning Place; Floyd A. McCarthy, husband of Mrs. McCarthy of U. S. Army War College.

Also: K. E. Missler, Robert F. Jones, House of Representatives;

William S. Parquette, brother-in-law of Mrs. R. G. Miner of 4943 Butterworth Place; L. D. Patterson, cousin of Mrs. Leona Tiller of 3409 Mount Pleasant Street Northwest; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Purnell, son-in-law and daughter of E. J. Cottrell of the Office of Chief of Ordnance, Pentagon Building; Joseph Edward Reiter, Lawrence George Reiter, formerly of 100 K Street North-

west; Mrs. N. M. Saleeby, sister of Mrs. John C. Wilson, formerly of 2615 Woodley Place. Also Max Vitally, Clarence E. Kilburn, House of Representatives; Mr. and Mrs. William C. Waldo, son and daughter-in-law of William B. Waldo of 6431 Utah Avenue Northwest; Paul Whitacre and family, husband of Mrs. Whitacre, formerly of 1400 Fairmont Street North-

west; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley W. G. Lehman and child, H. E. Becknall of 4025 Oliver Street, Chevy Chase, Md., and Mrs. George Cowie and daughter, Miss Teddie Cowie, Mrs. James P. Angelo of 1821 North Rhodes, Arlington.

Virginians Listed

Evans went to China as a young man employed by a New York loan

company and while there worked under the State Department to promote trade between China and the United States.

Patterson, who spent most of his life in Danville, Va., was a representative of the British-American Tobacco Co. in China. On his way home to the States, his ship stopped at Manila to refuel, and he was

taken prisoner in the attack there.

Persons whose relatives or friends are listed in Virginia were: F. N. and Fred Berry, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bozorth, Richmond; Nan Cotterman Butler, Williamsburg; Bob Cooper, Lynchburg; James S. Craw, Petersburg; Florence Ellis, Raphine; Dr. and Mrs. L. Z. Fletcher, Lexington; W.

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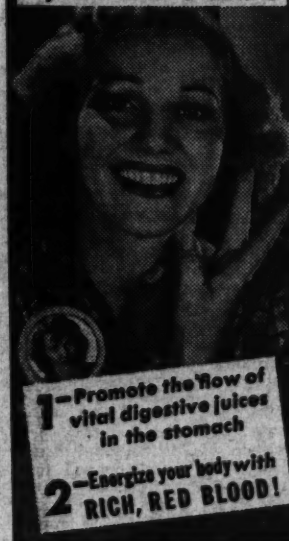
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from wanton exploitation. To send armies forth to save the world for democracy and freedom and at the same time to relax our vigilance in conserving the homeland would be to sacrifice many of the very things that will make freedom sweet in the years to come.

Telling Congress

The enthusiasm with which Congress received Prime Minister Churchill last week was not wholly due to warmth of feeling for our British allies or to admiration for a great statesman. In part, it reflected the hunger of Congressmen for news and background information about the war. This was the first opportunity the great majority of Senators and Representatives have had to get a first-hand report on the Tunisian campaign or the war in general in recent months.

When President Roosevelt returned from Casablanca, there was hope that he would report to Congress on the progress of the war and on such plans for future action as could be revealed without giving valuable information to the enemy. Instead the President's speech on his trip was made at a dinner given by the White House Correspondents Association. Even when the great victory in North Africa was won, there was no report on the matter to Congress. Legislators had to await the arrival of Mr. Churchill from London to obtain an authoritative review of this notable achievement. Later Mr. Churchill also met in executive session with the Foreign Relations Committees of both houses and answered questions about the war in the best House-of-Commons manner.

The effect of Mr. Churchill's candor and his consideration for the legislative branch is to turn the spotlight once more upon the dangerous lack of cooperation between the White House and Congress. Our legislators are expected to vote staggering sums for the war, to support every proposal advanced by the Commander in Chief, and to prepare for the restoration of peace without being kept informed as to how the battle is going. The liaison between the executive and the legislative branches is so poor that the latter looks hopefully to foreign visitors for information on which intelligent policies can be based.

This sort of separatism could be justified only on the theory that the Administration is solely responsible for the conduct of the war and the making of peace when the guns have been silenced. But, of course, that responsibility is not wholly on the executive branch. White House policy must be supported at every turn by legislation which only Congress can enact. And the peace treaty will have to win the support of two-thirds of the Senate. In the circumstances full understanding and cooperation between the two are basic essentials of any sound formula for winning the war and the peace.

Why, then, has the Senate Foreign Relations Committee been so dilatory in reporting out the Wiley resolution calling for a Foreign Relations Advisory Council to act as a liaison between the executive and legislative officials who share the duty of planning for a lasting peace? The President is unquestionably right in laying great store upon a meeting between himself, Mr. Churchill and Marshal Stalin. But the only sound basis on which international cooperation in the postwar world can be laid is cooperation within our own Government in working out the objectives for which the United States will be prepared to stand. Negligible progress in that direction has been made, even though the White House and Capitol are but 2 miles apart.

Ten months before Pearl Harbor Senator Wiley introduced another resolution asking the Secretary of State to report in executive session of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the threat of war in the Far East and our preparations to meet it. At that time the State Department knew that war in the Pacific was rapidly approaching. But the resolution was pigeonholed. The committee did not get the information sought. No adequate preparations to meet an attack were made. The United States was humiliated at Pearl Harbor and a great sacrifice of human life will be necessary to regain what we have lost in the Far East. No one can say with assurance how the situation would have been changed if the information in the hands of the State Department had been conveyed to key members of Congress. This much, however, is certain: the withholding of such information makes it impossible for the representatives of the people to act intelligently in the face of a global crisis. The Senate cannot act too quickly to bridge this dangerous gap between executive and legislative action while the problems of the forthcoming peace are still in the discussion stage.

More Strikes

Many thousands of warworkers were idle over the weekend because of strikes in the rubber and automobile industries directed at the War Labor Board. Rubber workers walked out because the WLB awarded them a pay increase of only 3 cents an hour, in the interest of stabilizing wages in the whole industry. One complaint of the striking automobile workers was "the slowness of the WLB." Both thus stooped to the tactics of John L. Lewis in his fight against the Government. Leaders were able to get most of the men back on the job after comparatively brief stoppages, but even short-lived defiance of Government decisions in wartime is a serious matter.

President Green of the A. F. of L. didn't see the situation when he was quoted last

week as saying that labor will assume an attitude of defiance if Congress passes the Connally-Smith bill. That attitude is no more enlightened than was the fight of many employers against the National Labor Relations Act. We believe that the Smith bill substituted for the Connally bill by the House Military Affairs Committee is unnecessarily severe. But labor will have an inescapable obligation to obey whatever bill Congress passes. And that compliance should not be delayed until after the measure has been tested in the courts. The necessities of war will not wait upon the slow motion of judicial appeals.

It should be clear to everyone, moreover, that labor must accept a larger degree of governmental regulation than has been imposed to date. The vast power that labor has now acquired can be safely exercised only if unions are made accountable to their members and if racketeering practices are penalized as such. Legislation for this purpose is not reactionary in any sense. Nor is it antilabor. On the contrary, it serves the basic interests of labor, as most impartial students of progressive unionism agree. Whether legislation of this type is to be mild or severe will depend in large measure upon the degree to which unions succeed in disciplining themselves. The most certain way to bring about the wholesale enactment of repressive legislation would be continued striking against public agencies and defiance of public authority in wartime.

France And The Allies

If there is any one point about post-war Europe upon which all disputants are now agreed, it is upon the necessity of holding France to something approximating her former power, prestige and influence in continental affairs. Yet France still remains without a voice in the councils of the United Nations. Here we have the main point of conflict in the continuing deadlock between the partisans of General Giraud and those of General de Gaulle. De Gaulle reiterates the Fighting French insistence on a central authority in which all the various elements and interests of French political life—except, of course, the collaborationists—would be represented, and which could thereby advance some claim to the status of a provisional government, able to assume its place at the council table. Under this plan the military commanders as well as colonial and territorial administrators would not be represented on the council, but would be subordinate to it.

There is no indication that General Giraud intends to recede from his stand against this proposal. His position is that the whole question of a French government must wait until the enemy has been entirely expelled from French soil, and that meantime powers of decision would be vested in a council comprised of military leaders and imperial officials. In this council, of course, the Fighting French armies and the Fighting French territories would be represented. In this position, it appears, General Giraud is being strongly supported not only by the United States but also, though perhaps somewhat reluctantly, by the British. How far, if at all, General Giraud has been influenced by these two powers to adopt this position is, of course, something we probably shall not know until long after the war. One thing, however, seems pretty certain, and that is that some effort is being made here to discredit the prestige of the French National Committee, and its demand for a provisional government representation of France among the United Nations, by discrediting its leader. It will not have escaped notice, for example, that Mr. Churchill failed to mention General de Gaulle at all in his speech to Congress, though he spoke of General Giraud. This omission was in strange contrast to his extravagant praise of the Fighting French and their leader in a speech at Ottawa delivered on his last visit to this continent.

It would be something of a shock to discover that Washington issues as momentous as this one can be decided on a basis of personality and prejudice. Yet up to now the principal arguments against de Gaulle's position seem to be that the Fighting French leader takes himself much too seriously. Stories possibly inspired have appeared of how General de Gaulle offended the sensibilities of the statesmen at Casablanca by comparing himself to Joan of Arc. This no doubt was ridiculous, but there were those who thought it ridiculous for St. Joan herself to pretend she had ever had conversations with St. Michael and St. Catherine. The point, however, is that a large number of her countrymen took St. Joan and her visions quite seriously. There is evidence that a great many, and perhaps even a majority of Frenchmen, take General de Gaulle's mission quite seriously, too, and are with him in his demand for a sovereign authority and for French representation in the United Nations. This position may or may not be compromised at the forthcoming meeting between the two French leaders.

PICTURE

At this hour and halfway across the world,
Somewhere under the floodtide of Virginia
sun,
Gold fountains of forsythia burn along the
road
And the mockingbird's bright laughter is
begun.

Beneath this barren lead-toned alien sky,
In this unrelenting rain-lashed cold,
We shall not bear that lyric song this spring
Nor know that lovely April foam of gold.

But in a tattered fragment of a calendar
Or perhaps by sudden accident of spoken
word,

That clear remembered sunlight lives again,
Those golden bouquets, that lyric deathless bird.

FREDERICK EBRIGHT.

British Press

A Communication

There are in the United States at this moment about 30 staff correspondents of British newspapers and news agencies. They are a company of men who together probably reflect rather faithfully the instincts, capacities and inhibitions which become second nature to anyone who has spent a certain number of years in Fleet Street, London, where the offices of most of the national daily papers are. For sometime before the war began it had been the Fleet Street habit to regard the American job as about the most important on the foreign side. There is brisk competition for it. The brethren who were sent—in many cases before 1939—to this country as Washington and New York correspondents are by no means universal geniuses; on the other hand their presence cannot be wholly explained by the conclusion that their editors grew tired of their faces.

One of the things a foreign correspondent has to do is to read a great number of newspapers and magazines published in the country where he is accredited. Some of the British brethren, pursuing this duty in their various offices on a Sunday early in this month, came upon and read with interest a dispatch which the correspondent in London of a very great newspaper had cabled the day before. It was headlined: BIZARRE NEWS OF U. S. IS FAVOURED IN BRITAIN. The American correspondent, one of about 120 stationed in Britain, opened with the comprehensive statement that "British journalism is still devoted to the bizarre in American life so long as it falls into an accepted pattern which is designed of Hollywood glamour, gangsterism and freakishness, with statements along isolationist lines."

Crop of Stories

The day on which Americans were reading about bizarre British journalism (it was Sunday, May 2) was a normally busy one for the brethren. When they closed down their offices that evening they had cabled or radioed to their papers a crop of news and feature stories no better and no worse than those they send every day in the week. These stories appeared in the nine national morning newspapers published in London on May 3. They follow here a complete list of the subjects of all stories from America which appeared in one, or more than one, or all of that morning's papers, with no omissions. It is compiled from the Ministry of Information's daily survey of the British press, and it includes stories that appeared in the two London tabloids.

United States miners' strike; Jap bases bombed; Justice Roberts' postwar proposals; Lend-Lease report; Japs execute British sailors; Vivian Drake on bombing policy; Berle on German guilt; Scouts buy bomber; plane shoots through New York tower; servicemen as trade envoys; small-savings spurt; labor urges price control; Harvard trains break elements; Army songs banned; boy worker's record; Lehman's trip; Russo-Polish rupture; Ambassador Davies' book; President's broadcast; Joan Bennett escapes fire.

Daily Summary

It is obvious that editorial writers in the United States cannot have many opportunities for regular reading of the British papers; and they may not have known that in addition to the daily summary which the Ministry of Information cables to this country, the Office of War Information in Washington receives more or less regular information on what is appearing from America in British publications.

It seems to me that in order to believe that a majority of the big London daily papers, which are bought all over the British Isles, could maintain their circulation by printing inconsequential nonsense about America and excluding the significant news, it is necessary also to believe that the British people are mainly morose, and this is a belief I have not encountered anywhere in the United States. To the British, the biggest news from America has been the news that traced the breathless story of American mobilization for war against the same enemies who have killed and maimed young men and maidens, old men and children, in the British cities. The great story from America has been—and is—that the time is at hand when "The New World," with all its power and might, sets forth to the liberation and rescue of the Old.

I have not myself been able to understand why anyone in this country, even though he had no facts on what British papers were publishing, should think it was likely that in these desperate months of siege and suffering, British correspondents have been sending British editors have been printing and the British people have been accepting news from America about red Indians, glamour girls and gangsters. ROBERT WATTHMAN. (Correspondent of News Chronicle of London.)

End Of An Era

By Barnet Nover

The Comintern Dissolved

THE DISSOLUTION of the Communist Internationale constitutes a major triumph for the United Nations, a major defeat for the Axis. It can be said without exaggeration that through this development the Allies have won their greatest political victory of the war and the Axis has been dealt a death blow as disastrous as that it received at Stalingrad and in Tunisia.

At one fell blow Moscow has wiped out an institution which very definitely stood in the way of completely harmonious relations between Russia and her allies and also cut the propagandist ground from under Hitler and Goebbels.

Yet Moscow's action was only the recognition of a reality. All that the Presidium of the Executive Committee of the Comintern really did in proposing that the institution be dissolved was to suggest that the Communist parties of the world accompany a long buried corpse to the grave.

FOR A LONG TIME the Comintern has been in what Grover Cleveland once described as a state of "innocuous desuetude." Never, from the moment of its founding in 1919 to the day of its dissolution last week, was the Comintern ever the power its advocates pretended it was or the danger its enemies described it as being.

It became progressively less strong as the years went by. But even at its point of greatest decline, when it had become a mere shadow of its former self it remained the object of intense and widespread suspicion even in countries that were anxious and eager to cooperate with Russia during the war and after.

THE COMMUNIST Internationale was never truly international, only intermittently Communist, but always Russian.

This fact became clear when, after the rise of Hitler in Germany, the Comintern shelved its efforts to bring about a world revolution and began to concentrate on the "defense of the Soviet fatherland" against aggression. But this apparent shift in ideology involved no change in basic policy.

The Comintern was created by Lenin, founding father of the Soviet state, because he doubted whether communism could survive in Russia if it were confined to Russia alone and because he was convinced that the world was ripe for revolution.

Lenin soon discovered that the latter was wishful thinking. So, when the third world Congress of the Comintern met in Moscow in 1921, Lenin forced through a change in the policy of the organization. Armed risings by Communists in various countries were to be discouraged; a more moderate policy was adopted so as to allow for a longer period of preparation.

American newspapers have long accepted without question a laurel wreath for "The Fourth Estate." Few people seemed to know that this term, originated long ago, was used to ridicule the London Times. Eventually the press began to accept it as a compliment.

The reason why journalism should be recognized as "Today's Third Estate" was explained by Mr. Hinchshaw. He reasons that the people come first and compose society's first estate. The servants of the free people direct the machinery of government and they comprise the second estate. He adds: "The editors, whose journals provide people with the information and opinion which make the creation and enforcement of laws possible are the third most powerful group in a free modern State; therefore, they in fact, and should in name, comprise its 'Third Estate.'"

"The record of our editors' growth in ethics, civic virtue and specialized ability during the past two centuries in America, however, has been the envy of men in their profession throughout the world. Their effective use of public opinion has made them more powerful than either our political parties or our statesmen."

"The power of public opinion continues undiminished from one generation to another, unchecked and unchecked. It makes or breaks administrations and tosses rulers into the discard because they can exist only as long as they reflect or give expression to the existing dominant public opinion. Abraham Lincoln said of it: 'Public sentiment is everything. With public sentiment nothing can fail; without it nothing can succeed. Consequently he who moulds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions. He makes statutes or decisions possible or impossible to be executed.'"

Washington, May 19.

are an indication of your letting us down. I, and all other servicemen, are doing our parts to help you win this war; we aren't letting you down—don't you let us down, for we need your help!

THIS EMPHASIS was brought more clearly into the open after Joseph Stalin had won his bitter fight with Leon Trotsky as to which of the two was to wear the mantle of the dead Lenin.

Unlike Trotsky, Stalin believed that it was possible to preserve the soviet regime in Russia regardless of what happened elsewhere. But though he bested his rival he did not, after his victory, do away with the Comintern.

There were still in those years far too many "old Bolsheviks" in Russia who would have deemed such action a betrayal of the precepts of Marx and the practices of Lenin. Besides, the Comintern, in Stalin's eyes, still had its uses as an agency through which support for Russia's national interests and Russian foreign policy could be mobilized abroad.

IT IS SIGNIFICANT, however, that despite the statistics of the Comintern which called for an annual meeting, there have been only two world congresses of the organization during the past 15 years. But if Stalin made little use of the Comintern the Fascist powers were not so hesitant. The existence of the Comintern was the cloak behind which Germany, Italy and Japan maneuvered to isolate their victims and achieve world domination.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

End Of The Comintern

In spite of the somewhat garbled transmission of the names, it would appear that all of the twelve signers of the resolution dissolving the Communist International come from continental Europe. The countries represented on the Executive Committee include Germany, Italy, France, Hungary, Rumania, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Spain, and of course Russia. There was no one from North or South America, from China or Japan or India, nor, it seems, from the British Commonwealth and Empire.

This is significant. For it reflects a fact which is confirmed from many other sources—namely that in recent years, since Stalin's destruction of Trotsky and the "old leftists," the Third International has been in practice an instrument of Soviet policy on the continent of Europe. Elsewhere the Communist parties have followed the line of propaganda laid down in Moscow. But on the continent they were not only propagandists; they have been in varying degrees disciplined forces charged with the possibility of organizing governments under the control of Moscow.

FOR THIS reason the Germans have been quick to recognize the practical importance of Stalin's action. They know that the rising European rebellion against them is everywhere, including Russia itself, overwhelmingly nationalist and patriotic. They know also that the power of the revolt has been blunted by the fear which runs through the aristocratic and propertied classes to the socialists, the trades unionists, the peasants—that with the defeat of the Axis they would come under the dictatorship of a Communist Party which took its orders from Moscow. This fear is the source of the strongest popular support which Hitler still possesses on the continent. It has been strong precisely because it might be in some measure true. For Hitler has spread havoc throughout Europe, and has destroyed much of the ancient institutional life of Europe; it was quite possible that when the Nazi military power collapsed the Communist parties would emerge in the vacuum of authority as the only disciplined organizations capable, with Russian help, of governing.

Hitler knows, therefore, that if the basis of this fear is reduced among the people of occupied Europe, the force of the national resistance will become as military events unfold, irresistible. He knows also, however much he may try to pretend, that the action of Moscow is not an empty gesture and a clever bluff. That is why the Axis propaganda is unable to hide its knowledge that an event of far-reaching practical importance has occurred.

THE ACTION is real and not a bluff because it promotes the union of the forces of national resistance in each European country. This union is dangerous to Hitler, and, therefore, of an immense military value to Stalin. When you have, as Stalin has, 200 enemy divisions in your country, military reasons transcend all other reasons.

At the same time, the national union of the various peoples is not only the surest, but indeed the only, guaranty that the Communist International has in

fact been dissolved. By advising all the Communist leaders of Europe to rally to their own national flags, Stalin is—as a military measure in the interest of Russia—promoting elsewhere the kind of nationalism which most effectively prevents the revival of Communist internationalism. Thus, the effect of his decision is to bring into being the forces which are the most capable of making the decision real and lasting.

STALIN is not a man who, just for the sake of being amiable, abandons one weapon unless he has a better one in hand. Until very recently the Comintern, though a great moral liability to Russia almost everywhere, was still an asset in many parts of continental Europe the underground Communist Party has been the best disciplined and most daring center of resistance and sabotage. As long as Russia bore the main weight of the Nazi attack, it mattered less to Stalin what non-Europeans thought of the Comintern than that this underground Communist resistance, on which he could rely, should continue. The non-Europeans were not fighting in Europe. But now resistance is becoming more and more national, and the British-American assault on Hitler Europe is developing from all directions. Thus, he has nothing to lose and much to gain by enabling his allies to coordinate their military invasion of Europe with a unified national resistance within Europe.

The timing of the move is well-calculated to dissolve the cement of the enemy alliance at the moment when it is about to be subjected to the shock of the military offensive. For the enemy alliance is formed on the basis of the Anti-Comintern Pact.

THIS PACT, which was signed by Japan and Germany on November 25, 1936, has been a prodigiously successful device. It was a blind to cover a military alliance. It was a racket in which the governing classes of continental Europe were induced to surrender their liberties and their self-respect in order to buy protection by a set of international gangsters against the bolshevik menace. The menace was real, though often grossly exaggerated. But what mattered was that the European collaborationists with Hitler were themselves too lazy, too stupid, too greedy, and too cowardly to deal with the menace as statesmen and as patriots.

With the deterioration of Hitler's power, this racket is now breaking up. On the one hand, Russia, in the tremendous ordeal through which she is passing, has become again profoundly Russian and nationalist. On the other hand, in the rest of Europe, the collaborationists are now traitors condemned by the terrible wrath of their own peoples. As the blows fall from the west, as the armies of liberation set foot in Europe, it is obvious beyond the power of Goebbels to deny it, that we bring with us that which is the heart's desire of all but the traitors who are doomed.

It is impossible for Hitler to pretend that the British and the Americans and the French have come to destroy the civilization of Europe. It is impossible to conceal any longer the truth that the prediction of General Marshall, made a year ago at West Point, is being realized: that "before the sun sets on this terrible struggle our flag will be recognized throughout the world as a symbol of freedom on the one hand and of overwhelming force on the other."

Off The Record

By Ed Reed



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CHAPTER IX
The B-17 came over first, followed by two Navy Catalinas which circled, waiting.

The other two planes stood by in case of trouble. Balchen's Catalina was piloted by Lieut. Bernard W. Dunlop, U. S. N., he made one run, then went on a considerable distance from the field before he turned.

Balchen and Dunlop came down with wheels retracted and wing floats lowered, then came taxiing across the vast white field as if the plane were floating on some new, thick kind of water. She taxied slowly, her keel and part of her hull plowing to a depth of about 18 inches and leaving behind a smooth, long trough.

The plane stopped near the camp, the crew came out, and for the first time in 60 days the three men were in direct contact with their fellows.

They did not waste time talking. Capt. P. W. Sweetser, the base surgeon, was there to look after O'Hara, and he was the first concern. He was placed on a ski sled and taken carefully aboard the plane. Then the others climbed up, and Dunlop gave her gas.

After that it was a clean, short run to the base and a happy landing.

There was a good period then when contact was kept up fully. They were advised of an immediate plan of rescue—in the sense that anything could be immediate on the ice cap. Colonel Balchen was going to land Arctic experts and a dog team at the sled camp, and the team would come in from there to rescue them.

On March 17 they were told that it had been done, and the team was coming.

They were three veterans, Capt. Harold L. Strong, an old Alaskan hand, and Sergts. Joseph D. Healey and Hendrick Doleman, who had been with Byrd in the Antarctic.

When the rescue party reached them, Monteverde says: "We quit everything and they practically tucked us into bed and played nursemaid to us, and everything else. We were so tired of fighting for ourselves."

It was then 129 days since the B-17 crashed on the ice cap.

On the morning of March 19 the rescuers returned from their camp and picked up the three men.

Captain Strong had a tent pitched, and left Monteverde and Best there with Sergeant Doleman, going on with Spina and Sergeant Healey.

On April 5, a beautiful, calm day, the Catalina landed with Colonel Balchen and Lieutenant Dunlop in charge. As a result of previous experiences, the ship had now been stripped of all unnecessary weight, and was carrying just enough gas for the relatively short run, with a safe margin.

They took the men aboard as before, pulling them in through the blizzard, and then made a couple of take-off runs, but the Catalina would not rise. The day was too good, and without any head wind at all she could not clear the snow.

The next day was calm in the morning, but in the afternoon they got a sufficient wind and managed their take-off.

They gained altitude, then Dunlop feathered the propeller of the starboard engine, upon which the Catalina lost altitude and was within 15 feet of the ground before he could get the propeller to work again.

Dunlop kept his wheels up until the last minute, in case they should have to come down at sea. He did not have enough gas left to overshoot the field, so he came right in to the edge of it, and under the circumstances was unable to get his nose wheel down.

Once again that good flying boat made a belly landing, and narrowly missed crashing into a plane at the end of the runway. But Lieutenant Dunlop handled her beautifully, as usual, and there was no mishap. This was Army Day, April 6, 1943.

So the last of them were out, and after a rest and a good, long leave they were ready to go back to work. They had received promotions, and those who came through Washington and met the President are surprised at the amount of fuss made over them. They still say that the real story is Pappy Turner's and his crew's.

THE END.

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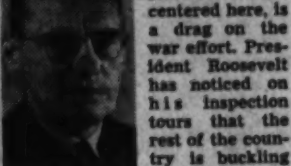
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Wartime Washington

By Merlo Pusey

The Washington Method

THERE SEEMS to be a growing conviction that "Washington," meaning the great aggregation of official boards, commissions, bureaus, and what-not centered here, is a drag on the war effort.



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Businessmen and labor leaders rail at the confusion and lack of direction they find here. What is it about the Washington scene that creates such an unfavorable impression?

Certainly there is no lack of activity in this feverish war center. Nor is it a question of flagging enthusiasm for an early victory. The will to win is strong in Washington. The impression that the Capital is a drag on the war effort springs largely from the technique by which operations on the home front are directed. That technique is so distinctive and so prevalent that it is coming to be known as the Washington method.

When there is a big job to be done, the Washington method is to appoint a committee or a board representing many different viewpoints to study the situation and straighten it out or to bring in recommendations. If the special interests represented on the board can't agree, reorganization follows. After one or more reorganizations, perhaps an administrator is appointed through an executive order. Study of the problem continues. Perhaps the research function is now broken up among several factions, each of which will advise the administrator as to what course he should follow. Adopting any clear-cut policy thus remains about as difficult as it was before.

IF THIS process leads to utter confusion, another reorganization follows. This time the job is broken down into segments. Or, more accurately, bits of power are chipped off from the central organization so as to concentrate responsibilities for one particular item in the war program in the hands of one executive. Sometimes this step is accompanied by the enunciation of a clear-cut policy for one segment, but the pulling and hauling goes on between many separate agencies instead of within one big organization.

In a few instances the Washington method has produced good results in the end. For example, the study of the Baruch Committee led to the adoption of a clear-cut rubber policy directed by a capable executive. The only difficulty here has arisen from the clash between the rubber programs using similar materials because there is no war cabinet to settle such differences promptly.

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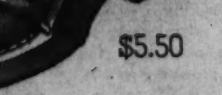
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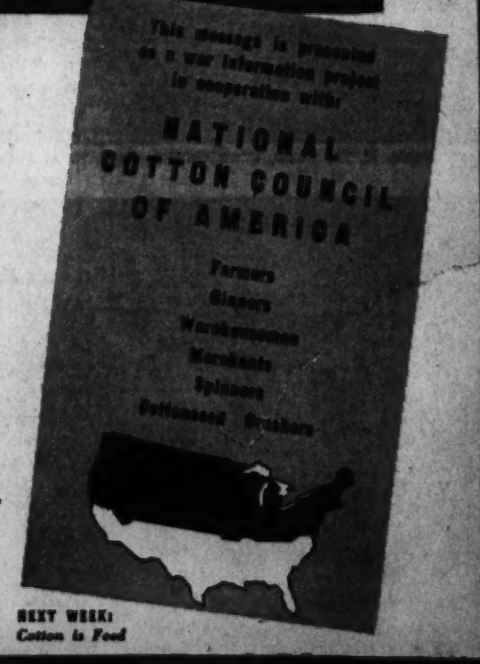
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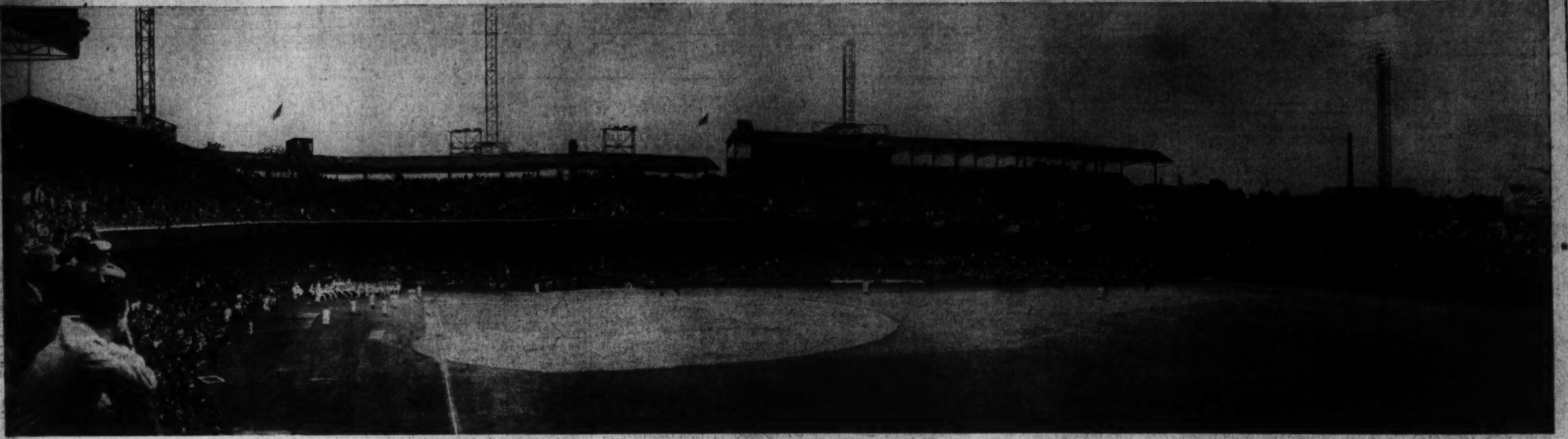
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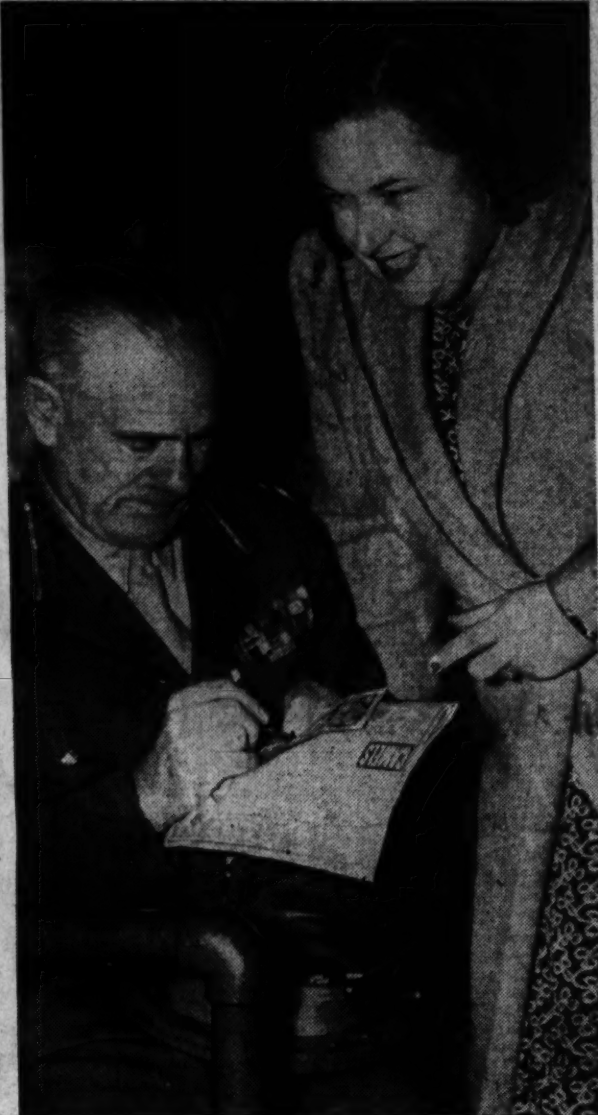
D. C. Fans Contribute to History-Making Game at Stadium



PANORAMA OF GRIFFITH STADIUM CROWD AT WASHINGTON POST'S WAR BOND GAME WHICH SET A RECORD FOR PAID ATTENDANCE IN SPORTS IN WASHINGTON



Bing Crosby, one of the heroes of the night, singing to the accompaniment of Randy Ryan, of Cross Roads. Bing got a big hand.



Sir Archibald, British Field Marshal, autographs short-sleeved bill for Kate Smith. She wowed the fans with a speech and song.

Babe Ruth, Surprise Visitor, Shines as Speaker

Bambino Stirs
Fans With Bond
Buying Speech

By Merrell W. Whittlesey
Post Staff Writer

Babe Ruth has clinched pennants and broken up world series with home runs that are baseball legend, but the mighty Bambino has never made a more dramatic entrance to a ball park than the one which drew a throaty roar from the 23,221 fans at the Post War Bond Game last night in Griffith Stadium.

Arch McDonald, Washington's favorite baseball announcer, and Al Schacht, the comedian, set the stage for the surprise march by the spry Babe across the diamond. Schacht was in the last stages of his act, imitating Ruth's most famous home run, the one Babe called against the Chicago Cubs in the 1932 World Series.

With a towel stuffed in his waist, a reminder to Babe of his once bulging waistline, Schacht pointed over the right field wall, took a Ruthian swing and started to jog around the bases. On his way to second, McDonald suddenly whirled with the mike and shouted "ladies and gentlemen, look coming out of the right field boxes, none other than baseball's greatest figure, BABE RUTH."

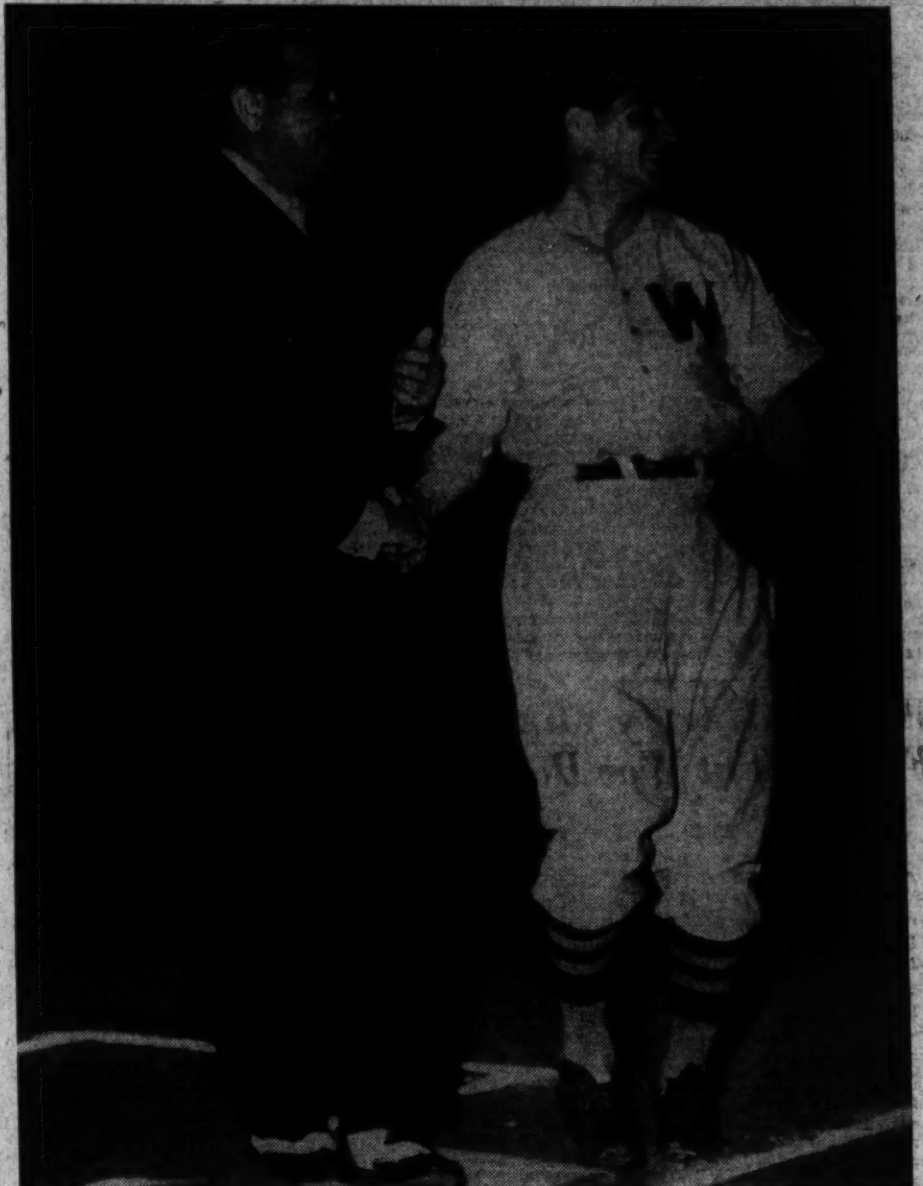
Sure enough, with quick, brisk steps Ruth was trotting in from right field and once the throng recognized him the cheers were mighty. Babe joined Schacht in his jog around the bases, crossed the plate and stepped to the mike.

Ruth's words to the audience carried weight. Without a single note as a reminder, the Babe spoke for several minutes, and as he handed the mike back to McDonald you'd have thought he had donned a Washington uniform and hit a home run with the bases loaded in the ninth inning of the deciding game of the World Series. The crowd loved it.

Babe's message in part: "It sure looks familiar here, but I don't like Schacht's suggesting I have a waistline, look here," as he pointed to what might be called a slim figure.

"They're carrying on a bigger series across the oceans, you know, with shells for bats and cannons for baseballs. We're all doing as much as we can but that's not enough. Those fellows over there are lying in trenches with mud and muck up to their necks, and we've got to pull them out."

"I went to Japan in 1934 on a round-the-world tour and we must have been met by 1 1/4 million of Japanese, with their



Babe Ruth (left) and Al Schacht meet again . . . at second base. The Babe was a surprise visitor during the big Stadium game.

own flag in one hand and an American flag in the other. I know what they'd like to do with our flag now, but let's make them bow down and kiss it. The only way is for us to give our boys what they need. They'll fight for us if we fight for them. We can fight by buying War Bonds and stamps to supply planes and shells and ships.

"God bless those men and

women over there, let's put our shoulders to the wheel and fight for them as they are fighting for us, to keep our flag flying forever."

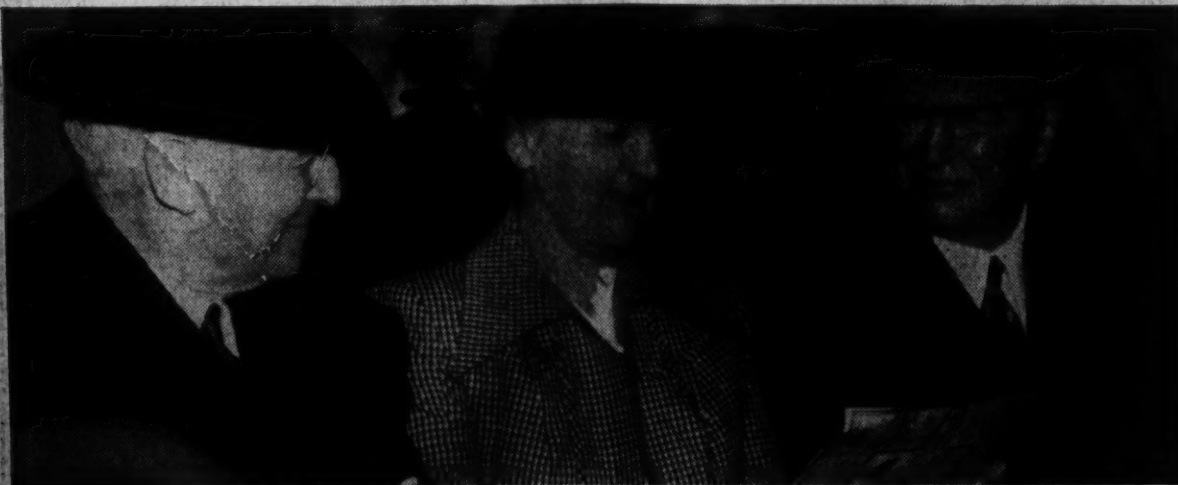
After his inspiring message, Ruth returned to the Nats' dugout, where the Washington ball players crowded around like kids. They all joined in the applause. Ruth greeted Benny Bengough, Lefty Gomes and Um-

pire George Fingers, all former team mates. He asked for a towel and after wiping the perspiration from his brow he listened in attentive silence as Kate Smith took over.

After the "Star-Spangled Banner," Ruth retired to Eugene Meyer's box to watch the game. There'll never be another Babe.



Lieut Comdr. H. M. Rudie, Clark Griffith, Capt. H. A. McClure, Norfolk base commander and H. L. Rust, Jr., of D. C. War Savings, looking over the line-up before the game.

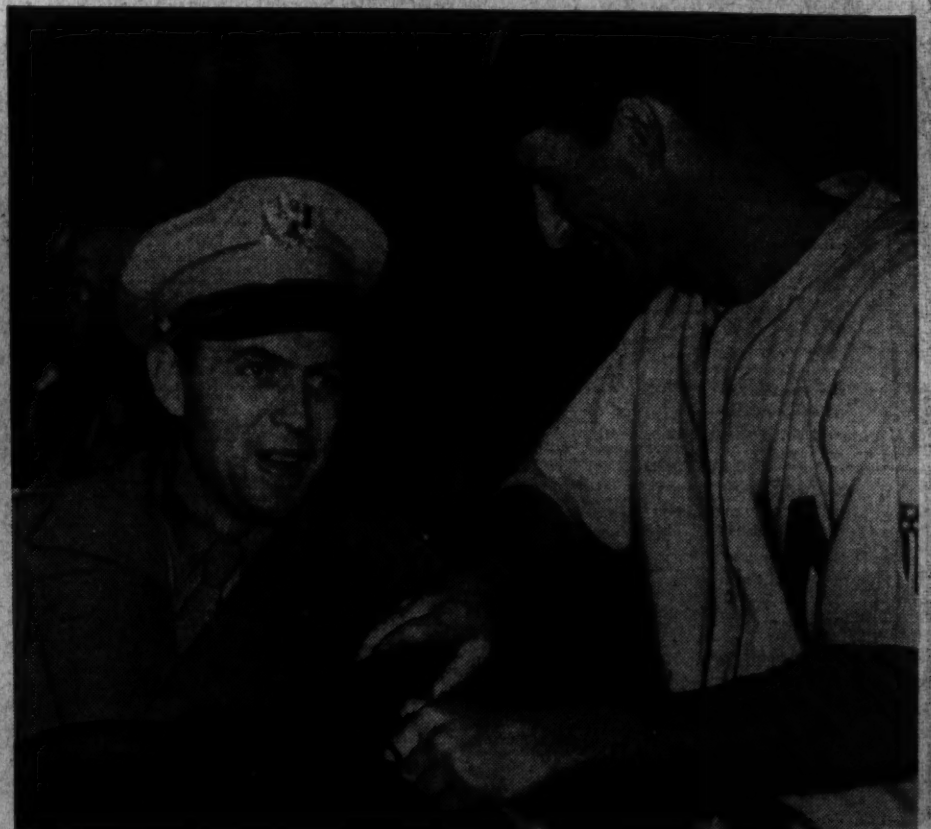


Paragon paruch, Mrs. Eugene Meyer, and Secretary of Navy Knox enjoying the game which netted nearly \$2,000,000. Secretary Knox has been an enthusiastic booster of the game.



Arch McDonald, who was rightfully at the mike as master of ceremonies of Washington's greatest baseball show last night. McDonald was at his best and it must have come easy for him as nobody could have enjoyed introducing the celebrities he presented last night more than the ever-popular Arch.

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Capt. Ted Lawson, who piloted one of the planes on the Tokyo raid, chats with Navy's First Seaman Mickey Vernon.

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Lefty Gomez walked out of Clark Griffith's office as a member of the Washington Club yesterday afternoon. Up to that point, he had been jobless, but he wasn't worrying. There were two other offers from big league clubs Gomez was also considering.

"But they were in the National League," said Lefty, as if the National League were something to be avoided. "I'm not a National Leaguer, I'm an American Leaguer," he said. "You don't spend 11 seasons with the Yankees and then become a National Leaguer over night. I was with the Braves for those last five weeks and didn't pitch a ball. I want work."

We don't know what kind of a pitching arm the Nats have acquired in Gomez, but for certain they acquired a sense of humor when they signed Lefty. No ball player ever better deserved the reputation as a punster which Gomez has taken on. He was released by the Braves unconditionally, but to the last, he could see something funny in his surroundings.

"Casey Stengel, you know, was in the hospital and hadn't managed the club for a day since the season opened," said Lefty. "I wasn't pitching because their pitchers were going so good apparently they didn't need me. But I did try to show some hustle on the bench by talking it up. Those Braves were a lot of dead fish and I couldn't work up much enthusiasm on that Boston bench."

"Finally I had to tell 'em, 'Listen you guys, no wonder Stengel is in the hospital. You mummies would drive anybody to the hospital.'"

Gomez doesn't figure to break into the Nats' pitching staff as a starting pitcher right away. It's obvious that the Nats signed him for a relief man. Out of the 13 games the Nats have listed this season, at least five can be directly traced to a lack of relief pitching.

"At least Gomez isn't going to throw away a ball game with a base on balls or a wild pitch like some of our green kids," said Griffith. He's an old hand in this, and they'll have to make that ball go places before they get any runs off him. The most discouraging thing at a ball game is to see your pitcher walk the tying or winning run into scoring position."

Griffith signed Gomez without consulting Manager Ossie Bluege, but he was perfectly safe in the knowledge that Bluege would approve. The Nats' manager has been beseeching Griffith for just such an old hand as Lefty ever since it became obvious to him that his current relief pitching wasn't measuring up. Bluege has spent many an anguished afternoon watching his relief men throw ball games away. The first person to tell you that Gomez doesn't have his old speed is Lefty himself. "I can't lie about that," he says, "without sounding foolish. If I had my old speed, I wouldn't be with Washington, and I wouldn't have been unconditionally released by the Braves. I'd be in there taking a regular turn for the Yankees, winning 20 games a year, and getting \$30,000 for it, besides World Series money."

No pitcher ever accepted his state of decline from a high-powered pitching figure with the same gracefulness of Gomez. A couple of years ago when he was no longer to be feared by the league's hitters he would tell fans, "I don't know when I'm going to pitch again. I guess it will be whenever Joe McCarthy isn't keen about winning a ball game."

Two years ago when the defense bond drives opened in Washington the Yankees were here and Joe Di Maggio was invited to autograph the first stamp book sold. Di Maggio wasn't available, and Gomez was asked to substitute. That was the year when Di Mag was in the midst of his 33-game hitting streak. "Sure, I'll do it. I'm famous, too," said Lefty. "I'm Joe Di Maggio's roommate, honest."

When he retires, Gomez will be able to look back on the proudest World Series record of any pitcher in baseball history. In his time, Lefty has gone to the mound for the Yankees six times in World Series games, and six times he has won them. He was on five American League "All-Star" teams, was credited with winning three of those games, and lost only one.

"That's a pretty good record to look back on," said Lefty. "Right now, though, I'd rather have something I could throw up to those hitters. I'd still like to convince 'em I was a pretty good pitcher."

Wounded Army Flier Hurls First Ball at War Bond Game

By Edward T. Pollard

Post Staff Writer

A wounded Army flier, who not so long ago was scoring bull's eyes on Germany, tossed out the first ball at Griffith Stadium last night, and opened the most extraordinary baseball game in history.

Never before had a baseball game drawn a \$2,000,000 gate, and never before had a baseball crowd seen such a galaxy of notables in a big league pitcher's box.

They included: Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell, hero of the first Allied victory over an Axis army.

Herman "Babe" Ruth, the immortal Sultan of Swat, once more trotting around the bases in his short-gaited way of old.

"Bing" Crosby, Alling Griffith Stadium with his thrushy melody as he crooned "Dinah," "Time

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Goes By and "White Christmas." Kate Smith, Washington's own gift to the air waves, came back to sing the National Anthem and make a resounding plea to the crowd of 29,221 never to stop "investing in America."

The Army flier who tossed out the ball from the Presidential box was Lieut. Jacob Chester Shively. His regular occupation up until recently was piloting a Flying Fortress over Germany and German-occupied Europe. He had made eight flights when enemy flak wounded him in the shoulder and nose, and he was waved out of the game temporarily.

The right to occupy the Presidential box was won by Capt. Broward McClelland, who bought \$25,000 worth of bonds—the top bid.

His was the honor of throwing out the ball, but he yielded it to Lieut. Shively.

Griffith Stadium, aglow with the brilliance of eight huge arcs, was jammed with soldiers and sailors as well as civilians. There were enough general's stars to form a heavenly dipter.

The strategists behind the home front were out in force too. In a box as guests of Eugene Meyer, editor and publisher of The Washington Post, and Mrs. Meyer were Bernard M. Baruch, director of the War Industries Board in the last war, and a present figure in the back ground in this one; Secretary of the Navy Knox; Stabilization Director James F. Byrnes; and Mrs. Byrnes; Senator Austin of Vermont; Alexander F. Jones, managing editor of The Post; and Mrs. Jones.

Babe Ruth, after his dramatic appearance in the pitcher's box, joined the party.

Field Marshal Wavell, who is commander in chief of the British Forces in India, was seeing his first game, as he told the crowd, but in six innings he became an ardent fan—so much so that he asked the mighty "Babe" for his autograph.

With Field Marshal Wavell was Lady Dill, wife of Field Marshal Sir John Dill, and Mrs. Mark Clark, wife of Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark, the No. 2 American officer in North Africa.

Capt. Wynn, Wavell's aide de camp, was somewhat bewildered by the game.

But what astonished him most was the Marine sergeant who haunts Griffith Stadium and makes noises like an air-raid siren.

"I say," exclaimed Captain Wynn. "Really, when are they going to call the chucker-out?"

Washington Scores All Runs in 9th

By Shirley Povich

Post Staff Writer

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Field. The teams packed no less than five rapid-fire double plays into the proceedings.

Norfolk took a 1-0 lead against Alex Carrasquel in the fourth inning, and applied the crusher with three runs in the eighth against Lew Carpenter. They were out, 10 to 6, but Wagner gave up only five hits to Washington until the ninth.

Band Accompanies Singer

The crowd was sitting in on United States Navy Band history. The Navy Band, which never before had been accompanied by a vocalist, waived rigid regulations to play for Kate Smith's rendition of "The Star-Spangled Banner" as a Navy color guard raised the flag from the center-field pole.

Introduced by District Commissioner Guy Mason who welcomed Miss Smith as a Washington girl returning here at the top of her fame, America's No. 1 female voice thrilled the huge gathering as she sang the National anthem.

In marked respect the crowd stood at attention as the flag went up, and there were "Oh's" and "Ah's" of admiration as Miss Smith hit the last high note of the anthem's "home of the brave."

For five minutes previously, the 29,221 had listened raptly as Miss Smith made an emotional appeal from home plate, urging Americans to continue buying War Bonds and "not to stop buying until our boys stop dying."

Up from the center field pole, too, went the United States Treasury flag, raised by Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Baseball Club, whose organization is 100 per cent enrolled in the bond buying program. Mr. Griffith raised the flag to the illing accompaniment of the Navy Band's "Any Bonds Today?"

The Babe Joins Show

The first full-throated thrill-roar of the night was produced in the midst of Al Schacht's clowning act that entertained the early comers, when a surprise figure suddenly made an appearance from a right-field entrance.

Schacht was making his famed impersonation of Babe Ruth "crying his shot" with his home run in the 1933 World Series when a hulking figure in a blue suit jogged onto the field. It was the Babe himself, down from New York to lend his presence to the program.

Not content with merely taking a bow, the Babe, with typical Ruth showmanship trotted around the bases with his famous mincing, home run gait.

From the home plate microphone where he was introduced by Arch McDonald, Ruth made a two-minute address urging Americans to make greater sacrifice for "our boys over there."

One minute before game time, all eyes were directed to the Presidential box. There sat a wounded American war hero as the guest of Capt. Broward McClelland who purchased \$25,000 in war bonds for the privilege of buying the customary seats of the President.

In Action on 2 Fronts

To Lieut. J. C. Shively, now under treatment at Walter Reed Hospital, went the honor of throwing out the first ball. He wore the wings of the United States Army Air Force and the Purple Heart.

The 27-year-old flier, who had navigated a Flying Fortress on both the Atlantic and Pacific Fronts, and was wounded on the sixth of his eight trips over Germany and occupied France, was determined by photographers for several minutes in a ball-throwing pose as the gathering craned its necks for a glimpse.

The toss he made was a healthy pitch, caught on the playing field by Washington Outfielder Stan Spence.

Yet another thrill proved to be in store for the huge crowd as the game moved into the seventh inning and the stands became restive in the knowledge that Bing Crosby was to make his entrance at that point.

However, Master of Ceremonies Arch McDonald, announced that a great fighting man of the United Nations armed forces was being asked to take a bow. Announced McDonald:

"Field Marshal Sir Archibald Wavell, of the British Army." A tremendous roar of applause followed the crowd's gasps as Wavell stood in his seat, and when the applause did not abate, amid shouts of "On the Field!" Sir Archibald walked to the microphone pitched near home plate.

Crosby Comes Through

Accompanied by his aide, Wavell marched across the turf, and reaching the microphone, said simply in his pronounced British accent: "I won't say much. This is my first baseball game and I am enjoying every moment of it."

To deafening cheers, he made his way back to his seat.

Bing Crosby's appearance was terrific. Excitement swept the stands two innings before Crosby was scheduled to sing in the seventh. He was hustled into the park direct from a train that arrived from Memphis during the game.

Out of a box seat Crosby strolled onto the field during the game's seventh-inning respite, stirred in

There was Plenty of Action at the Game, Too



Gerald Freddy is out at second as Jake Early smacked a hot grounder to Charley Wagner, Norfolk hurler. Wagner shot the ball to Phil Rizuto, forcing Freddy and "Scooter" relayed it fast to first baseman Eddie Robinson in time to flag Early for a twin killing.

Crosby's Songs, Gags, 'Stop' Game but Everybody Loved

"Bing" Crosby actually stopped the ball game.

The personable guy with the celebrated wart on his nose earned a spot in the hearts of the 29,221 baseball fans with a real homey appearance that honestly stopped the show.

Unmistakably, he gave. And what's more, he gave as if he enjoyed the whole thing—which he doubtless did.

He stepped onto the field between the sixth and seventh innings to one of the biggest ovations of the night. As he went to the mike, he playfully picked up the reds bar and rubbed his hands as he went to work—just like a pitcher.

Spotting the Nats' infield grouped around second base, where they were waiting for him to sing, he cracked:

Crowd Delighted

"How about a little barber-shop, boys?"

The crowd howled its delight. He gagged, told stories and sang as only Bing Crosby can.

Three songs he sang. Figuring on the basis of his weekly radio salary, it ran about \$10,000 worth. "Dinah," "As Time Goes By," and as the place de resistance, he gave out with "White Christmas." He muffed a line in "White Christmas" and kept right on going, singing in perfect

a light blue suit topped by casual wide-brimmed straw hat, and it was another signal for the crowd to tumble over itself in applause.

In typical Crosby style, Bing carried it off with banter. He waved to the stands. He quipped about Bob Hope. He kidded his own singing with off-stage cracks. He had the crowd in high good spirit. He made his accompanist, Randy Ryan, take a bow.

And then, he sang, and the crowd loved it, apprehensive that he wouldn't sing another song. It stomped and whistled, and Bing sang some more.

He gave it "Dinah Lee" and then he gave it "As Time Goes By" and it gave him cheer after cheer. And then he came in with "White Christmas" and through was enraptured.

When he walked off the field, he had staged the show that the 29,221 had hoped he would give them, and the stadium was still resounding with cheers for Crosby as he made his way to his seat.

Nats Spring Double Plays

But that ball game. It was something to see. In each of the first three innings, the Nats turned back the Sailors on double plays behind Milo Candini, their starting pitcher.

But the sailors crashed through with a run in the fourth to take their 1-0 lead as Alex Carrasquel replaced Candini. It was an unearned run, scored without hit, after Dom DiMaggio walked. Third baseman Robertson's error on Rizuto's grounder left both runners safe, and the sailors filled the bases with one out when Robinson, too, drew a walk.

The Nats tried for a doubleplay on Pedregal's grounder to Sullivan, but the relay to first was late and DiMaggio scored from third. Rizuto took third on the play, but rounded the base too far, slipped and was trapped in a run down between third and the plate.

Thereupon ensued a ludicrous chase in which the ensnared Rizuto regained third safely with help of a late throw by Mickey Vernon, and the crowd chorled, but the sailors got no more out of the inning.

They got three more runs in the eighth, though, after Lew Carpen-

ter had succeeded Alec Carrasquel.

The Sailors packed three hits into that inning, which commenced with singles by Conway and Smith before anybody was out. Wagner sacrificed them up a base, and Carpenter filled the bases by walking DiMaggio.

Rizuto Whales Single

In this situation little Rizuto whaled a hot single which carried off Robertson's glove into left field and two runners scored.

When Carpenter refilled the bases by hitting McCoy on the back with a pitch, Rae Scarborough took over for the Nats. Robinson's slow grounder to Vernon scored Rizuto.

It was DiMaggio again saving Wagner's skin in the sixth, after Johnny Sullivan led off with a hustly triple into the left field corner. Wagner struck out pinch hitter Gene Moore and walked Robertson, but Case drove a modest fly to DiMaggio in center and after the catch Sullivan started for home as if he had never known of DiMaggio's throwing reputation.

DiMaggio threw him out by 15½ feet, according to a dope who says he took the actual measurement. All of a sudden after Bob Johnson struck out in the ninth, the Nats started getting tough. Five hits in a row they ripped off against the tiring Wagner. Spence singled to center and Fridy singled to right. Jake Early moved them both home with a pounding two-bagger high off the right-field wall. Johnny Sullivan followed with a single to left that put Early on third, and the Nats had the tying runs on base with only one out.

Cocher Gaby Bodie strung along with Wagner for one more hitter. It was Mickey Haefer, the fourth Washington pitcher at bat because Manager Bluege had exhausted his pinch hitters. Haefer kept the Nats in the ball game with a single to right that got Early home and put Sullivan on second.

Now Wagner went out and left-hander Wilson came in. Whereupon it was all up with the Nats. Robertson fouled out to Early, and Case lifted a fly ball in DiMaggio's direction which is always bad judgment, and the ball game was over.

Crowd Acclaims Shirley Povich

Shirley Povich, who has been writing sports for the Washington Post for 20 years took a well-earned bow in Griffith Stadium last night.

Arch McDonald, the radio announcer, introduced Povich from the pitcher's box as the man who had conceived the epic game between the Washington Nationals and the Norfolk Sailors team.

"You folks," said Povich, had bought \$1,953,000 in bonds as of 2 o'clock today.

"And we are certain that when the full returns are in it will be a \$2,000,000 gate."

As applause rolled out from the stands Povich made his way to the press box. The impresario roar was over and Povich was again a baseball writer.

Grand National Idea

Griffith Urges All Clubs To Stage War Bond Games

Sellout at Nats-Norfolk Tars Game Brings Praise for Shirley Povich

By Al Costello

Post Staff Writer

The recommendation that all baseball clubs follow the lead of The Washington Post sponsored Nats-Norfolk Naval Training Station war bond game was strongly urged last night by Clark C. Griffith, president of the Washington club, as he viewed with visible appreciation the huge throng of patriots who crammed Griffith Stadium, each seat filled representing a war bond to the tune of nearly two million dollars.

Baseball, in that way, would pour between 50 and 100 million extra dollars into the war bond drive and Griffith estimated it is an invaluable contribution to the war effort. Griffith urged that every club in the major and minor leagues, including the Pacific Coast, International and American Association, stage duplicate games such as the one held last night.

Griffith said: "The Washington Post did a remarkable job in conceiving and promoting the war bond game. Shirley Povich, whose idea it was, deserves a world of credit for his untiring efforts in making it a huge success."

"And from it, baseball should take the bit into its teeth and follow through. We cannot do too much in our efforts on the home front to smash the enemy."

"The idea of staging war bond games is too good to be restricted to one city. It should be national in scope. I think every club in both the American and the National Leagues, as well as every minor league team in the country, should copy this splendid idea."

"In fact, I am going to personally suggest it to each and every club owner in the big leagues. It is the finest gesture baseball has yet made to the war effort and it should be carried through to the utmost."

Clark Griffith and the Washington Club, incidentally, lost money on the night—but loved it. Besides picking up the tab for the light bill and various other incidentals, it cost Griffith and his coterie \$2500 worth of bonds to get into his own ball park.

The leather-lunged leatherneck sergeant (identified by Arch McDonald) with the air-raid siren voice, was there, very much in evidence, much to the delight of everyone. Every time he let loose those long and short blasts, every-

one of the 29,221 held their breaths in both admiration and amazement.

Before the game it appeared that the Norfolk Sailors would be sentimental favorites. But once the game got under way, the crowd—or most of it—was rooting for the Nats.

The Navy band pleased everybody but the infielders. Attired in immaculate white uniforms they were seated directly behind home plate and formed a background which made it difficult for the fielders to see the ball leaving the bat.

Al Schacht did not lead the band in his usual comic fashion—on orders of a Navy official.

At least 20,000 fans in their seats one hour before game time, probably the biggest crowd to flock to the stadium that far ahead of a ball game since 1933 world series.

Most of the 29,221 came either by streetcar, bus or taxicab. The parking lot adjacent to the park looked more like a vacant lot.

Armstrong Scores TKO Over Shapiro

Philadelphia, May 24 (AP)—That old master of ingighting—Brammerin Henry Armstrong of Los Angeles—displayed his talent unusually well tonight and belted out a seven round technical knock-out over Maxie Shapiro of New York, before a crowd of 8842 at Convention Hall, that paid \$21,614.

Before the end came after 158 of the seventh round in the scheduled 10 rounder the Little Dynamite, former holder of three world championships, had floored Shapiro for two nine counts, once in the sixth and again shortly after the start of the seventh.



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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Missiles Continue to Fly
In Direction of "Mission"Controversy Over Warner Film Unabated;
National Books ZaSu Pitts in 'The Bat';
Items of News and Gossip of the Theater

AS WE HAVE BEEN REMARKING from time to time, no picture within recent memory has inspired the bitter controversy that is raging about "Mission to Moscow," opening Friday on the screen at the Earle Theater.

ZASU
PITTS

Miss Dorothy Thompson, Mr. Westbrook Pegler and others of renown have paid their dubious respects to this Warner Brothers filmization of the Joseph E. Davies book as a specious political document, but I have yet to encounter quite so vitriolic a blast against it as is contained in an editorial in the May 14 issue of The Call, official weekly publication of the Socialist Party, with offices at 303 Fourth Avenue, New York, and 1734 F Street Northwest, in Washington.

Just to give you a rough idea of The Call's appraisal of the film, the editorial writer has this, in part, to say in the course of observations too voluminous to reproduce in full:

"The importance of 'Mission to Moscow' arises from its significance at this time as propaganda employing the most powerful means of idea-communication, blessed with the apparent imprimatur of the United States Government and purveying an abominable concoction of utter falsehood, damnable distortion, vile misrepresentation and grotesque but dangerous nonsense as the simple truth—and as truth buttressed by official documents!

"From first to last the picture is a fake, a phony, a counterfeit, a sham. It pretends, as the book does, to be based upon State Department reports—but the reports are all 'selected'; other reports by the same man might have been picked out to give an entirely different picture." And so on, ad lib.

All of which, in a manner of speaking, is what makes this picture so interesting. No wonder "Mission to Moscow" is packing them in wherever it is being shown. Our guess would be that you won't be able to get within gunshot of the Earle box office, come Friday morning.

It should be of as much interest to their many friends in Washington as it is to us to learn what goes on with this department's erstwhile right arms. Richard Livingston "Dick" Coe, at last word, had received a promotion in rank and was living in a tent in Tunisia and, at time of writing, had acquired the essential art of digging and diving into foxholes, adjacent to his sleeping quarters. In practically nothing, flat—a necessity which presumably has since ceased to exist in the North African theater. Ernest L. "Ernie" Schler, his successor, also has made the Army Air Forces, has qualified physically for flying duty and is pointing for training as a fighter pilot. He is stationed at the moment in Miami Beach, Fla., where his day begins at 4:45 a. m., and continues without respite until 7:30 p. m. And he used to think it was tough having to cover an 11 a. m. show! Two able young fellows to whom anything less than the best would not be good enough.

A Short-Respite for the Weary

Bette Davis found it possible last week to take time out from her Vermont vacation to meet Jack L. Warner, executive producer of Warner Bros. in New York and sign a new, exclusively W. B. contract, calling for two pictures a year over a long term. It was not always that easy for Miss Davis.

Although she has been on the Warner roster for a dozen years, the early periods of her career on the lot were marked by occasional turbulence and false starts that sugared no good for anybody. Since then, however, Bette on two occasions has walked off with the Academy Award and established herself in more than a few minds as the "first lady of the screen." "Watch on the Rhine" and "Old Acquaintance," her two most recently completed pictures, both based on successful stage plays, are yet to be released. When she returns to the studio, other important properties, acquired with her particularity in mind, will be awaiting her selection—among them Emya Williams' "The Corn Is Green," in which Ethel Barrymore had scored the hit of her life; "Mr. Skeffington" and the classic "Ethel Frome," by Edith Wharton.

Last-Minute Bulletin

ZaSu Pitts, celebrated screen comedienne, will appear at the National Theater in "The Bat," for a two-week engagement beginning Monday night, June 14. The droll Miss Pitts is whiling away the interval between pictures on a brief road tour in the Mary Roberts Rinehart-Avery Hopwood chills-and-chuckles number, under the sponsorship of Henry Duffy. The play will arrive on E Street from a five-week run in Detroit, via Pittsburgh. "Miss Pitts' last screen role was in the film version of 'Let's Face It.' She chose 'The Bat' from among some 30 possible plays for her celluloid sabbatical, because she feels that the role of the ace-stricken and flutty maid-of-all-work, Lizzie, is peculiarly adapted to her unique comedy talents. Which it is. The cast also will include Kathryn Gunne, another Washington favorite, formerly of the National Theater Players, as Miss Cornelia, the middle-aged spinster about whom the action revolves; Lawrence Fletcher, as the detective; Margaret Callahan, Lowell Gilmore, Don Kohler, Frank Lyon, Brent Sargent, Alfred Webster and Philip Russell. Russell Fillmore directed.

It just happens that your reporter covered the first time on any stage of "The Bat," at the old Belasco Theater, with Maude Eburne in the role now played by Miss Pitts, under the management of Wagenhals and Kemper. The big-hearted and bounteous Mr. Wagenhals, on that occasion, insisted that if I would come back and solve the mystery for him any time within five minutes of the final curtain, he would give me a piece of the show. That, of course, was before it went on to New York to run up a record of something like 900 Broadway performances.

Let-the-Punishment-Fit-the-Crime Note

Needless to say, we never owned any part of "The Bat," so, as I recall it, we went on one!

In Original Role



DORIS PATSTON

of the original New York cast, who will appear in the United Nations Club production of Terence Rattigan's "Flare Path," to be presented in the Wardman Park Theater this weekend

Screen Realism

Several extras in Warner Brothers' "Casablanca," who worked in scenes depicting the flight from Paris the day before the Nazi occupation, had that experience in real life.

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Will Decorate New Bill at the Earle



PATRICIA BOWMAN

Washington's distinguished ballerina, who will be one of the headlined artists in the three-part "Russian Revels" revue, to be presented on Friday at the Earle Theater in conjunction with Washington's first public showings of "Mission to Moscow" and continue throughout the run. The Warner Brothers picture is adapted from the Joseph E. Davies best-seller.

HEDDA HOPPER

Garbo Gets Ace Role

GRETA
GARBO

Hollywood, May 24.—Greta Garbo has finally got the picture she was waiting for. She'll sail some time in September for England to play Joan of Arc in George Bernard Shaw's "Saint Joan," under the direction of Clarence Brown. Clarence tried his best to make "White Cliffs of Dover" over there and had no luck. He's doing it here.

Dream Come True

Judy Garland finally gets to sing under direction of Andre Kostelanetz with the Philadelphia Symphony orchestra on June 24. . . . Jan Russell's husband, Bob Waterfield, has been added to the cast of "Russia" as a guerilla. . . . Here's hoping Fred Brady gets the role opposite Lucille Ball in "Meet the People." They'd make a wonderful team that boy's got it. . . . Now that the Lubitsch divorce is going through, we're all wondering whether Mrs. Lubitsch No. 3 will be our popular Mary Anita Look. . . . Jackie Moran, the Huck Finn of "Tom Sawyer," got his Army call for May 29—but has permission to finish "Nobody's Darling" first, in which he plays opposite Mary Lee. Time sure flies. . . . Fans of Jack La Rue can look forward to seeing him in "Secret Service in Darkest Africa."

Said It With Flowers

Received a note from Mrs. Laurence Swaine, Dover, N. H., enclosing check and asking me to send flowers to Cornelia Otis Skinner's dressing room the day she started working in "The Uninvited." She wrote, "My husband and I admire and love her. We caught a glimpse of her recently in Boston. We never miss a chance to see her." Well, Mrs. Swaine, it was a pleasure doing it. I can hear some glamour girls frothing because their fans never thought of it. . . . Let's thank Walter Wanger for art.

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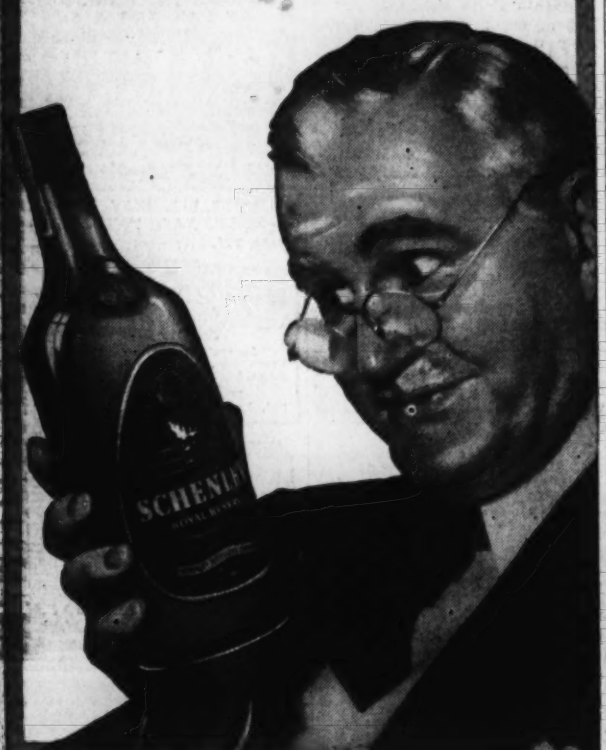
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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Churchill's Dream Comes True

ONLY HIS CLOSE FRIENDS know it, but the four different transatlantic conferences which Winston Churchill has held with Roosevelt are the fruition of a 10-year-old dream.

In 1933 Churchill, then not in the Cabinet, in fact a frequent thorn in the side of the cabinet, was spending a week-end at his country home. Weekend visitors included Jimmy Roosevelt, son of the newly elected President of the United States, and Kay Halle, Cleveland radio commentator.

After dinner the Churchill family and guests played the game of asking what each person would like most to do in the world if he could have his wish. Younger members of the family were being cross-examined by

Churchill, when suddenly Miss Halle turned the tables and asked him what he would most like to do.

Without a moment's hesitation Churchill flashed back: "I should like to be Prime Minister of England."

At that time he had held most of the important jobs in the cabinet. He had been Minister of War, First Lord of the Admiralty, Minister of Colonies, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Minister of Munitions, Home Secretary and Head of the Board of Trade. But he had never been Prime Minister.

"And if I were Prime Minister," Churchill continued, "and if I had the right man in the White House to work with, one thing I should do would be to hold regular transatlantic conversations with the President of the United States. I would forge between the United States and the British Empire a real alliance, an inseparable partnership."

Later Churchill sketched on a piece of paper pictures of the American dollar bill intertwined with the British pound sterling note.

"Give that to your father," he said to Jimmy Roosevelt, "and tell him that working together we can make the pound sterling and the dollar rule the world. We can establish a new currency."

"What would you call it?" asked Jimmy.

"I would call it," replied the man who 10 years later was to see a great deal of Jimmy Roosevelt's father, "I would call it, the 'Sterling Dollar.'"

Churchill Rehearses

No one in the crowd which jammed the House of Representatives to hear the Prime Minister of England last week ever would have dreamed that privately Churchill envisions the oratory of his son Randolph.

When the PM first entered the House, the crowd was a bit aloof. The spectators sat back in their chairs. But as he warmed to his speech, they leaned forward, until every member of Congress was heartily with him.

However, Churchill says that he wishes he could speak with the same extemporaneous facility as his son. Actually, the Prime Minister has to rehearse his speeches carefully.

His son Randolph, however, can speak without notes or previous rehearsal, and his father says he envies him.

Capital Chaff

Leon Henderson is going on the air once a week sponsored by O'Sullivan's Hotel. Apparently they think rubber is coming back. . . . Congressman John Costello of Hollywood may run for the Senate against Senator Sheridan Downey. . . . It pays to take a diplomatic junket around the world a la Willkie and Joe Davies. Willkie is getting all sorts of offers from movie moguls to screen his best-selling book "One World." He would like to throw it to his own company. Twentieth Century-Fox, of which he is chairman, but no matter what the price—high or low—it would cause political trouble. Twentieth Century has the best man to play the part of Willkie—Orson Welles. . . .

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



"Oh, boy, when I get back to camp I'll burn up the cook with the complaints I've picked up from the civilians in here!"

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arranging for a meeting between the President and Stalin.

Hopkins, Harriman and Batt had flown to Moscow to assure Russia of lend-lease support and to ascertain just what materials were needed. One of the things Stalin especially requested was aluminum-steel, called in the trade "plano wire" and used to reinforce the wings and struts of airplanes.

This is finely tempered aluminum and steel wire which is slow and difficult to manufacture. However, Stalin wanted it, and he was promised it.

But when Hopkins, Batt and Harriman returned to the U.S.A. and placed their promises before technical experts it was discovered that they had promised Stalin four times as much aluminum-steel as the entire United States produces in one year.

In other words, even if we sent Russia one-fourth of what she had asked and what Hopkins-Batt-Harriman had promised, there would have been nothing left for American airplanes.

However, Hopkins, the personal envoy of the President, had given his word and the Russians expected that his word would be kept.

Furthermore they kept reminding us about it. So, finally the President himself had to send word to Stalin that we had made a mistake and we couldn't deliver.

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New York Bond Prices

Total bond sales yesterday, \$10,549,800; previous day, \$6,494,500; week ago, \$8,357,800; year ago, \$4,638,700; two years ago, \$3,790,000; January 1 to date, \$1,729,369,400; year ago, \$949,161,300; two years ago, \$53,896,875.

Dow-Jones Bonds

New York, May 24.

Bonds	High	Low	Close
40 bonds	96.38	96.38	96.38
100 bonds	96.38	96.38	96.38
1000 bonds	96.38	96.38	96.38
10000 bonds	96.38	96.38	96.38

CORPORATION BONDS

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FIGHTING THE WAR DOES NOT CEASE FOR HOLIDAYS

In peace time telephone users make many Long Distance calls in the several days preceding a national holiday—before Memorial Day, for example—planning weekend trips or inviting out-of-town folks to visit them.

But let's not do it this year. War calls will be crowding Long Distance lines before and on Memorial Day just as at other times. So, to clear the way for these essential calls, please use Long Distance only when it is really necessary—the holiday and all the while we have a war on our hands.



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Employment Sets New High Of 59.7 Million

Employment in all fields reached a record high of 59.7 million in March according to a survey reported yesterday by the National Industrial Conference Board.

March employment topped the preceding month by nearly a million workers, and was about 190,000 above the previous October peak, the board reported, adding that eight million more were at work or in uniform than a year ago, with more than half this number in the armed forces while the remainder were added to nonagricultural payrolls.

The board said that labor requirements for agriculture would mount rapidly within the second quarter, probably by 3.5 millions on the basis of past seasonal trends.

If present induction schedules were maintained, the board said, about 350,000 men would be sent into the armed forces monthly, and further expansion was anticipated in the number of payrolls for essential war industries.

By mid-year, the board concluded, the labor situation should be in its most critical state.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

B. & O. Net Up 24 Million

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad announced in its annual report to stockholders an increase of \$24,231,713.64 in its net audited income for 1942 as compared with the previous year.

The net figure for last year was \$45,323,596.59 against \$21,091,882.95 for the preceding period.

President Roy B. White said in the report, released yesterday, that the company "contributed materially to the Nation's efforts in the prosecution of the war, and takes justifiable pride in stating that it has satisfactorily fulfilled every one of the many and varied tasks assigned to it in support of such efforts."

Furniture Output Shrinks

Full impact of the war is now being felt for the first time by furniture firms still producing civilian goods, Seidman & Seidman, accountants, reported yesterday in a survey of the industry.

The industry's labor continues to shift to essential occupations, the report stated, and added that "hardwoods—the principal raw material used by the industry—are now as critical as steel, if not more so, making it clear why the high production period which furniture has so far enjoyed is rapidly drawing to a close."

Harry Fowler Promoted

Harry R. Fowler, formerly an account executive, has been named assistant manager of the Washington office of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane, it was announced yesterday. Mr. Fowler started in the brokerage business about a decade ago with E. A. Pierce & Co. and became associated with the Merrill Lynch firm after its merger with the Pierce firm.

Sears Statement Issued

Washington employees of Sears, Roebuck & Co. yesterday received the 1942 annual statement of the savings and profit sharing pension fund showing the employees' fund is now the company's largest stockholder with 785,170 shares. In the Capital 196 Sears employees own 1801 shares, which on April 1 had a market value of \$126,070, according to William M. Johanson, manager of Sears' stores here.

Camp on Committees

F. Willson Camp, secretary-treasurer of the District Building and Loan Association, has been appointed a member of the United States Savings and Loan League's membership committee.

Security Survey Issued

The Washington office of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane, yesterday distributed copies of a 52-page "Security and Industry Survey." The booklet contains discussions of investment policy, general business, fixed income securities, preferred stocks with accumulations, and convertible securities.

New High in Efficiency

American Airlines Inc., reporting its first quarter operations yesterday, said that increasingly efficient operations brought utilization of aircraft to a new high in the company's history. The company operated 8,120,963 revenue miles with a fleet of 43 airplanes for the first quarter, as compared with 7,823,003 with 74 craft in the same 1942 period.

Net income for the three months totaled \$584,772, against \$349,392 in the corresponding 1942 period. Gross revenues aggregated \$6,973,648, an increase of \$681,225 over the like 1942 period.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, May 24.—Buyers poured into the grain market yesterday, pushing prices to new two-month highs in an active trade. Although heavy profit-taking canceled extreme gains, final quotations were up about a cent and only slightly under seasonal peaks scored mid-March.

The strength and activity in grain was reflected in a firm market for wheat and oats during the session, but selling generally pushed the broad cereal below Saturday's final and ended with little change for the day.

At the close wheat was 1.44 1/2¢, corn 1.44 1/2¢, oats 1.44 1/2¢, and soybeans 1.44 1/2¢. Corn was unchanged, July 1.45¢, Oct. 1.45¢, and soybeans 1.45¢, July 1.45¢, Oct. 1.45¢.

Wheat—Open 1.44 1/2¢, High 1.45 1/2¢, Low 1.44 1/2¢, Close 1.44 1/2¢. Corn—Open 1.44 1/2¢, High 1.45 1/2¢, Low 1.44 1/2¢, Close 1.44 1/2¢. Oats—Open 1.44 1/2¢, High 1.45 1/2¢, Low 1.44 1/2¢, Close 1.44 1/2¢.

Chicago, May 24 (AP)—WHEAT—No. 2 dark northern, 1.45 1/2¢; No. 2 yellow, 1.47 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 1.48 1/2¢; No. 2 hard red, 1.49 1/2¢; No. 2 soft red, 1.48 1/2¢; No. 2 white, 1.49 1/2¢.

Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 789,775 shares; previous day, 433,380; 775 shares; 244,310; year ago, 233,270; two years ago, 390,088; January 1 to date, 142,535,284; year ago, 45,997,653; two years ago, 52,035,922.

Dow Jones Stocks

New York, May 24

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The Federal Diary

By Jerry Klutze

Congressmen May Get Rooms in Girls' Dorms

A rider to the War Department appropriation bill will give it full authority to train its civilian employees. The department, if the rider is accepted, will be able to send some of its employees to private schools and it will pay the tuition and other bills. Training of employees is a necessary function in these times, but the Government is yet to adopt any overall training policy. Public Health Service is making plans to train 4000 student nurses and 750 post graduates this summer. The Senate Appropriations Committee may set up its own subcommittee to investigate subversive charges against the three Federal employees the House has ordered fired after countless investigations.

The House Public Buildings and Grounds Committee is considering a bill which would permit members of Congress to live in Federal housing projects here financed by Lanham acts. This would make members of Congress eligible for a room in the Government girl dormitories. More than \$28,000 already has been advanced from the President's fund to meet payrolls in several Federal agencies. Informal sources say there is sufficient funds in the President's kitty to finance all the pay days for the remainder of this month and the first few days in June and that's all. After that more than a score of agencies won't have the money to pay their employees unless Congress approves the urgent deficiency bill in the meantime. The Senate committee is still holding hearings on it.

Both the War and Navy Departments soon will announce plans to give civilian jobs to wounded soldiers who have been discharged from the service. Civil Service Commission, meanwhile, is drafting rules and regulations to expedite the hiring of the wounded. The idea for hiring the wounded came from an official in the Commerce Department. This official sought the former Army and Navy men to help solve the department's manpower problem. He explained it to Army and Navy and they promptly took over the idea and priorities on all the men to be discharged. The wounded who aren't placed in either the Army or the Navy will be turned over to the Civil Service Commission and the commission will certify them to the remaining agencies.

'Devices'
War Department employees soon may be awarded citations, insignia, emblems, medals and "devices" (whatever they may be) for faithful and meritorious service. The department would be given authority to make the presentations in its 1944 appropriation bill. These awards would be given to employees to make suggestions for the improvement of the department and for outstanding service. Every employee who is given a meritorious promotion would be given some sort of a citation to show for it. The bill, incidentally, continues the department's authority to pay cash awards to employees who make suggestions that result in a reduction of red tape and paperwork.

Better Management in Wartime Government is the central theme of the second annual conference to be held today and tomorrow at the Hotel Washington by the Society for the Advancement of Management. Today's speakers include Representatives Ranspach, Lanham and Johnson and Senator Truman, OPA Boss Pennington, Attorney General Biddle, Librarian Archibald MacLeish, Manpower Czar McNutt, John Carmody, Maritime commissioner, and National Housing Administrator Blandford, William Kustnick, War Department personnel director, conference chairman. A frank discussion of Government problems in wartime is promised. The conference will have plenty to talk about.

Washington dictionary of red tape language:
Under consideration (means): never heard of it. Under active consideration: Will have a shot at finding it in the files. Has received careful consideration: A period of inactivity covering time lag. Have you any remarks? Give me an idea of what it's all about. That project is in the air: Am completely ignorant of the subject. You will remember: You have forgotten, or never knew, because I don't. Transmitted to you: You held the bag—I'm tired of it. Concur generally: Haven't read the document and don't want to be bound by anything I say. In conference: Gone out—don't know where he is.

Kindly expedite reply: For God's sake, try to find the papers. Passed to higher authority: Pigeon-holed in a more auspicious office. In abeyance: A state of grace for a disgraceful state. Appropriate action: Do you know what to do with it? We don't. Giving him the picture: Long, confused and inaccurate statement to the new comer. If you have some additions, or better definitions, please send them along and they'll be used in this column.

Music Hath Charms, But . . .
Chattanooga, Tenn., (AP).—Here's a guy who's willing to swap music for milk: His Ad in the weekend "Let's Swap" column reads:
"Old Hopi violin for middle-aged cow."

Much of Vice Laid to D. C. Home Laxity

Present Laws, Held Inadequate in Fight On Disease, Now Being Strengthened

Parents and churches yesterday were castigated and the return to "real" family life urged as a solution to vice conditions admittedly prevalent in the Nation's Capital in a meeting of city officials at the Statler Hotel.

The meeting was held privately. "A flagrant cause of venereal disease, especially among young people, is the laxity of parents," Wilbur La Rue, chairman of the Committee on Civic Affairs of the Washington Federation of Churches, stated following the session.

A return to family life accompanied by the recognition of the importance of the spiritual side of life was the ideal solution agreed upon at the meeting.

La Rue, who recently has criticized the "hush-hush" policy which he says has prevailed, yesterday declared that existing laws were inadequate.

It was pointed out that (a) the public health officer and his staff do not have police power to arrest and examine persons on reasonable suspicion. A bill to accomplish this is now in process. (b) It must be made unlawful to solicit prostitution not only on the streets but in all other places. (Appropriate legislation is being drawn up to cover this.) (c) There is no law today applicable to so-called "call houses," which supply girls upon telephone request. (This is to be given attention.)

The Metropolitan Police Department was praised as "diligent" in its warfare on offenders.

From July 1, 1942, through April, 1943, there were 58 arrests for prostitution, 154 for fornication, 70 for solicitation, 17 for pandering, 25 for disorderly house and 48 for violation of the White Slave Traffic Act, it was shown.

"In these cases more than 85 per cent were convicted," La Rue said. The judges of the Municipal Court have a good appreciation of the seriousness of the vice problem, but at the conference decided that they indicated that in many cases sentences imposed on prostitutes were "too short."

Facilities for the isolation and treatment of offenders have been woefully inadequate, it was agreed. However, it was pointed out that this condition is being rapidly corrected.

Young offenders, who heretofore have considered themselves immune from prosecution under present laws, are due for a rude shock when the new law becomes effective expanding police powers to the Health Department.

A host of juveniles may be picked up and segregated upon reasonable suspicion that they have venereal disease.

In this sense the new statute will become a potent instrument in dealing with the largest class of offenders.

But it also brought out at the conference that this is a temporary expedient due to the emergency and that a long-range solution must have the cooperation of the home, the church and the public school.

During the session great emphasis was placed upon the need of educating young people against the dangers involved.

Among recognized needs are church and other programs of a healthy nature which will get the soldiers and young girls off the streets and into a more healthy environment. The Army is undertaking to do this by furnishing entertainments in camps.

The Army program, however, was believed inadequate without the help of churches and other civilian agencies.

Present at the meeting were William E. Richardson, chief judge, Municipal Court of Appeals for the District; Ray H. Everett, Social Hygiene Society of Washington; Maj. H. Ruhlman, D. C. Health officer; Richmond B. Keech, District corporation counsel; Harvey G. Callahan, assistant superintendent of police; James A. Nolan, Washington Criminal Justice Association; Ray L. Huff, director, Board of Public Welfare; Capt. F. G. Gillick, Health Department; Wilbur La Rue, chairman, Civic Affairs Committee, Washington Federation of Churches.

Adventist Church Intact in Africa
The Seventh-Day Adventist Church in North Africa has been left undisturbed by the war, according to word received yesterday by the General Conference headquarters in Takoma Park, Md. The communication, which came from Bern, Switzerland, was signed by Albert V. Olsen, president of the Southern European Division of Seventh-Day Adventists. The note mentioned E. L. Branson, son of the Rev. W. H. Branson, Takoma Park, Md., vice president of the General Conference. The younger Branson is director of the church's work in Egypt, Ethiopia and the Holy Land. The message said that he and other members in the mission are well.

Housing Project Opened



GIRLS CELEBRATE—A reception was held Sunday to mark the formal opening of Quarters A, at Eighteenth and G Streets Northwest, where 700 enlisted women reservists of the Navy are housed. Left to right—Imojean Watkins, storekeeper third class, U. S. N. R.; Rear Admiral F. L. Reichmuth, commandant of the Potomac River Naval Command, Hazel Hill, storekeeper second class, U. S. N. R.

Natives Group Elects Bates As President

Charles H. Bates was elected president of the Society of Natives at the annual meeting held last night at the Women's City Club.

Others named were Miss Eta Taggart, first vice president; Herbert P. Leeman, second vice president; Mrs. William Alexander Miller, third vice president; Mrs. Vera Ryan, recording secretary; Paul Plant, corresponding secretary; Frederick G. Umhau, treasurer, and James F. Dubamel, historian.

Members unanimously decided to institute a hunt for a memorial plate formerly fixed in flooring of the old Baltimore & Potomac Railroad Station to mark the spot where Garfield was shot. Charles O. Storm proposed a resolution, unanimously accepted by the society, to appeal to the public for recovery of the plate so that it might be placed in the same spot within the Mellon Art Gallery which now covers ground at Sixth and B Streets Northwest where the station stood.

Last night, President Bates asked that anyone having a clue as to whereabouts of the plate contact him.

The society again reiterated its stand urging that Congress pass a bill legally authorizing the District to send delegates to the Republican and Democratic national conventions.

Not-Guilty Plea Entered By Mrs. Lane

A plea of not guilty was entered yesterday by Edythe Dodswoth Lane, 45, at her arraignment before Justice F. Dickinson Letts in District Court on a charge of first degree murder in the 13-year-old holdup-murder of Mrs. Elizabeth Jaynes, cashier of the Garden T. Shoppe.

Yesterday was the date tentatively set for the trial to get under way but under an agreement of both the defense and prosecution the trial date would be postponed if the Government investigation was not completed.

Assistant United States Attorney Cecil Hefflin told the court that the case was still being investigated here and elsewhere by the police.

Mrs. Lane appeared in court yesterday, smartly dressed, not looking her 45 years, and calmly listened to the six-count indictment being read.

Defense Attorney Robert Lynch moved that the court set a nominal bond in order that she might gain her freedom from District Jail pending the final disposition of the case and that the trial date be set for some time next week.

Justice Letts took both motions under advisement after Hefflin entered an objection to them.

Mrs. Lane was returned to Washington from California after she was arrested on a drunk charge and told police she was wanted here on a first-degree murder charge. She is charged in the indictment with driving the getaway car that participated in the robbery.

Indians Say They Prefer Death To 'Invasion' via Dam Site Bill

Nine Pueblo Indians, who arrived here yesterday after a 3000-mile train tour from their native New Mexico, maintained steadfastly that they preferred death to banishment from the land cultivated for centuries by their Puebloan forefathers. They will appear this morning before the House Committee on Indian Affairs to oppose a bill authorizing exploration of the Rio Grande Valley to find sites for proposed dams.

Bedecked in multi-colored head-dresses, mammoth earrings of silver and blankets woven in brilliant tribal colors, the Indians passed a good part of the day at the Office of Indian Affairs in the Department of the Interior building reviewing the plan to present to the House Committee. With solemn faces, they studied maps of New Mexico and discussed the drastic effect that the dam project would bring about in their otherwise placid lives.

Fear Shrine Destruction
After explaining that dams would flood their arid farmland where the tribe has struggled for at least 500 years to eke out a living, the Indians added that destruction of their ancient shrines would be a much greater calamity. Although the 19,000 Pueblo Indians are predominantly Catholic, they also have clung to their tribal religious rites for which they said they are willing to die.

Don Sanchez, stately 50-year-old Governor of San Felipe, who disclosed that his forefathers were farmers on the same land before the Spaniards came, spoke in faltering English. "My people have always loved their land. We were never a fighting tribe. The white man has left us to ourselves so we could make the best of our dry land. If they move us to the rocky area on the west side of the Rio Grande, we would surely starve. But the shrines, most of them so old that nobody knows just when they were set up, mean more than life to us."

"Don't Want No Dams"
Sotero Montoya, 43, vigorously nodded his head and waved side-plaits of hair woven with pink wool. A native of San Ildefonso, he protested loudly. "We don't want no dams built. We don't want no exploring done. We simply won't leave our fields."

Mrs. Edgar L. Rossin, a director of the American Association on Indian Affairs and a spokesman for the group, explained that the bill prescribes only for exploration of the lands with the view of building dams if drilling proves the project would be feasible. She added that the Indians are so intense in their opposition that they wanted to fight the action in its preliminary stages. Proposed dam sites are at San Felipe, which would flood Santa Dominga, and at Ottowi, which would inundate San Ildefonso, Santa Clara and San Juan.

Victory Sidelights Gardeners Warned to Beware Of Using Arsenate of Lead

J. Morton Franklin, District victory garden supervisor, wishes to inform gardeners that arsenic is poisonous.

Local planters he said yesterday, have been spraying arsenate of lead on their vegetables willfully although use of it on leafy foods is thought to be undesirable in a poisonous way.

When sprayed on vegetables like lettuce, Swiss chard, kale, or mustard greens, its removal becomes a difficult problem to cooks. In fact it takes such extreme care on the part of persons cleaning vegetables of the white deposit left by the spray, that those who eat much lead arsenate-sprayed leafy food are likely to be stricken with cumulative poison.

The victory garden office recommends, therefore, use of rotenone and pyrethrum sprays, which will kill insects and "are not at all harmful to any warm-blooded animal."

Although these sprays have been

13 Degrees Conferred
Thirteen Washington area students received baccalaureate degrees at Cornell University's seventy-sixth commencement exercises yesterday. They were Misses Anne H. Betts, Marion E. Keller, Ruby R. Brimm, Alice M. Hadley, Mary C. Schreiber, Caroline M. Nordest and Alice C. Young. Also Solon B. Kemm, Bernard W. Graham, Arthur L. Thompson 3d, Richard C. Back, Fitzhugh Donnelly, Jr., and William H. Grimes.

Mutchler Appointed
Transcontinental & Western Air, announces the appointment of Clifford Mutchler of Alexandria, Va., as general manager of the company's intercontinental division which is engaged in overseas air operations at the Washington National Airport under contract to the Air Transport Command.

Mutchler, a native of Saginaw, Mich., is a veteran of the air-line

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Local Unit Backs NHA Funds Plea

D. C. Housing Setup Cites Needs Here In Approving Outside Program

Expressing the hope that the Nation's Capital may sometime "engage the attention of the National Housing Agency," and secure adequate low-rent permanent housing, the Washington Housing Association yesterday endorsed the NHA request for 400 million dollars for war housing in other areas.

In a statement sent to the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, now considering the NHA request, the association said: "The association believes that private industry should supply the housing needs as far as possible but where private industry leaves off, public housing is necessary."

"The families of low income are not able to buy or rent the housing being provided by private industry. They are not able to pay rents that pay a profit to private industry. Therefore if these families are to be decently housed, public housing must be provided by the Federal Government."

"The association regrets that so much of this housing is of temporary character. The family of low income will be with us in great numbers after the war. They supply the sweat and service in the war effort. They will supply the same in the reconstruction period while peace is being established. Men no less than machines must be decently housed."

"In the President's words, the association would like to bring to the attention of Congress that 'the fact that Washington will not benefit by the appropriation. We are aware how very serious is the shortage of low rent housing for families of low income in the District of Columbia. This recognition makes us sympathetic to the problems of other critical areas where the effort is being slowed down because workers are not decently housed.'"

The committee will resume hearings at 10 a. m. Wednesday on the requested 400 million dollars to provide public war housing in the rest of the country.

Social Agencies To Hold Annual Luncheon Today

The family welfare and the child welfare divisions of the Council of Social Agencies will be joined officially today when the family branch holds its annual luncheon meeting at Barker Hall, the Y. W. C. A., Seventeenth and K Streets Northwest, 12:15 p. m.

Speaker for the occasion will be Dr. Isadore Rodin, psychiatry professor at Georgetown University School of Medicine, who will speak about psychiatric implications of war on individual and family life. Mrs. Henry Chandler will read a summarized report of committee activities and findings during the past year, and officers will be elected.

Coupling of the two divisions culminates a study which indicated that unless the family was viewed as a whole by social workers, justice could not be done, according to Mrs. Thomas Norton, chairman of the family welfare unit.

Lt. W. J. McAvoy Officially Listed Killed in Action

First Lieut. William J. McAvoy, who recently was awarded the Purple Heart posthumously, was killed in action in the North African area on March 30, the War Department announced yesterday. A total of 252 casualties in the European, Middle East, Asiatic, North African, North American, Pacific and Southwest Pacific areas were reported.

Lieut. McAvoy's widow, Mrs. Marion McAvoy, resides at 708 North Wayne Street, Arlington, Va., and came to Washington a few months ago to work for the War Department.

Born in Philadelphia, January 21, 1915, Lieut. McAvoy attended Drexel Institute there. He was engaged in engineering work before enlisting in November, 1940. He was a member of the first invasion group which landed in North Africa.

C. S. McDowell Is Dead
E. K. McDowell, of 1739 N Street Northwest, an official with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, has received news of the death of his brother, Charles S. McDowell, 72, of Eufrasia, Ala., attorney and former lieutenant governor of Alabama. He died on Sunday.

Officers are Raoul Alamo, president; Jose B. Escribano, vice president; M. Davilla, treasurer, and Victor Montenegro, secretary.

Unfair Trade
Dr. John Gordon Bell, 2633 Sixteenth Street Northwest, found his stolen car in the woods yesterday. His brand new tires were gone, but in their places were four old ones. However, the thieves did not replace one front hub cap or two back fender skirts which they also had removed.

'Alley' Is Out D.C. Housing Unit Changes Its Name

The familiar signs about Washington and nearby Maryland—"Alley Dwelling Authority"—will be no more after June 1, for the name has been changed to "National Capital Housing Authority," John Ihlder, director of the authority, announced yesterday.

The new title has been given by President Roosevelt in recognition of congressional legislation giving the local authority the status of the 600 local public housing authorities in other communities. The name Alley Dwelling Authority was given by the President in an executive order in 1934. Three years later Congress enacted the United States Housing Act and local housing authorities were authorized by State legislation. The Alley Dwelling Act was amended by Congress to give the local agency the status of authorities created by State legislatures.

The local authority, however, continued to use the original title until it became evident that it was a serious handicap because of misunderstandings with tenants and neighbors and adversely affected its financing. The number of local housing authorities and the widespread recognition of the words "housing authority" gives security sold under that title a wider market acceptance than have those of the local agency with a name that is not generally known.

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Recreation Provided for Navy Workers

For a mere 50 cents a year, the only membership fee assessed by the Navy Department Recreation Association, a Navy employee may guarantee himself a minimum of lonesome hours and a maximum of entertainment.

Organized two years ago, the NDRA offers an extensive program to the after-hours lives of its employees, and its support has grown from a membership of 400 last fall to 4000 currently, Mrs. Josephine James, association secretary, said yesterday.

Keynote of the program was indicated by the association's president, C. H. Bingham, who commented, "We want to give these people who are away from home the opportunity to meet other people who are interested in the type of activities that they enjoy."

During the current season, activities include bowling, tennis, softball (there are 20 girls' teams and 32 men's teams) and moonlight dance cruises. But it doesn't stop there. There is a bicycle club, with about 60 enthusiasts who ride on Wednesday afternoons and Sunday mornings. A chess club meets weekly, and recent organizations under the NDRA include a string ensemble and a glee club. Events are publicized in the NDRA News monthly.

Some of the bureaus have special programs for their own employees. The Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, for instance, participates in a "backyard" sports program, which covers such items as horseshoe pitching and croquet.

Although nonmembers are free to participate in any and all activities if they choose, there are definite advantages in membership. Many local concerns, from furniture stores to entertainment centers will honor a NDRA membership card with discounts ranging from 5 to 50 per cent.

Comment Refused On Report Army Band Is Overseas

The War Department last night would neither confirm nor deny the reported movement of the United States Army Band overseas.

A War Department spokesman said that any movement of the band would constitute troop movements and that "for security reasons it was contrary to War Department policy to discuss troop movements."

Other than this, the War Department would make no comment. The decision to ship to foreign soil the famed 90-piece band, under the leadership of Capt. Thomas F. Darcy, was reported to have been reached recently after Army men had deemed the 28-piece regimental bands now overseas inadequate. It recently moved to new quarters at Fort Myer.

James Bopst to Give Arts Club Recital

James Bopst, resident pianist, pupil of Harold Bauer and Sigismund Stojowski, will give a recital tonight in the Arts Club. His program of compositions by Bach, Scarlatti, Chopin, Brahms and Debussy will close with the first public performance of Frank Bowman's "Miss Kate and the Peacock." Lawrence Lewis, baritone, will introduce three songs by Bowman: "Bright Stands the Sun's Eye at Noon," "O Love, My Love, and Perfect Bliss" and "I Go By Road."

Enlarged D. C. Budget Requested

Congress Is Asked For \$733,078 More, Including \$455,000 For Refuse Removal

The District Commissioners yesterday asked Congress for \$733,078 more to be included in the 1944 District appropriation. If approved, these additional funds will bring the budget for the next fiscal year to \$55,675,782.

The largest increase—\$455,000—is asked for the District Refuse Department. Most of this is for extra wages that must be paid per diem employees under the Wage Increase Act and for employing more workmen "to cope with the wartime street and alley cleaning problems which have become so aggravated by reason of the overcrowded and greatly expanded task to be performed."

To buy a site for a new National Training School for Girls somewhere in Prince Georges County and erect temporary buildings on it, \$82,000 is requested. When the girls are moved into this new plant, the Commissioners plan to move the Industrial Home School from its present Wisconsin Avenue quarters into the Loughborough Road buildings now occupied by the girls' training school. The sum of \$15,000 is asked for the necessary renovation of the Loughborough Road buildings.

The Health Department wants \$21,120 to establish and maintain a health center at the Henry School, Seventh and P Streets Northwest. It also asks for \$5600 to pay a sanitary engineer in the Health Inspection Department.

To keep up the penny school milk program, and to establish a central kitchen for canning of surplus food—including such as may be raised in victory gardens—the Welfare Department asked for \$75,000.

This central kitchen would not only put up goods that the Department of Agriculture might furnish, but it would offer its facilities to victory gardeners who may bring any surplus crops there for canning.

Inquest Called Today in 32d Traffic Death

District traffic deaths this year 32
Deaths this date last year . . . 45
District total last year . . . 108

A coroner's jury this morning will investigate the traffic death of Florence A. Donohue, 65, of 1723 M Street Northeast, a guard at the Army War College, who was killed Sunday night.

Due to appear at the hearing, according to police, is Benjamin D. Conley, 22, of Hyattsville, driver of the automobile which struck Donohue at Bladensburg Road and Meigs Place Northeast.

Meanwhile, the District's weekly "selective enforcement" traffic accident survey disclosed a 17 per cent decrease in motor vehicle mishaps here last week.

The same survey also established again that Pennsylvania Avenue, both in Northwest and Southeast, and U Street Northwest, are "dangerous" thoroughfares. Both streets have been cited five times previously.

Special details of motorcycle policemen were ordered to patrol these streets and two others, concentrating on so-called moving violations. The other two streets are Massachusetts Avenue between First and Fourteenth Streets Northwest, and Fourteenth Street Northwest between Constitution Avenue and Thomas Circle.

A total of 128 accidents were reported to police during the week, as compared with 153 for the week of May 18. A breakdown shows there were 79 vehicular accidents, 11 streetcar and vehicle accidents and 38 pedestrian mishaps. One fatality was recorded.

Child Placement License Bill Gets Citizens' Approval

Approval of the pending bill in Congress sponsored by Representative Jennings Randolph (Democrat), from West Virginia, chairman of the House District Committee, which would require licensing of child placing agencies was voted last night by the Midcity Citizens Association.

The association also voted to approve a bill by Representative E. Walter (Democrat) of Pennsylvania, which would allow the District a nonvoting delegate in the House.

A resolution by George A. Warren, association member, asking that the pay of night school teachers be raised in parity with day teachers was adopted.

After hearing a report on the unusual number of thefts from cars in parking lots, the association adopted a resolution asking Second Precinct police to make greater effort to detect the culprits.



Mary Hawthorth's Mail

Girl, 20, Unhappily Persists in Slavish Devotion To Former 'Best Friend,' Who Has Virtually Dropped Her Since Entering College; Mother Is Concerned

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I should like to have your opinion on a problem that is beginning to cause a bit of friction between my 20-year-old daughter and myself. Her father is not living and she is all that I have, so that her happiness naturally means a great deal to me—although I hold a full-time position which does not leave me the time and energy which I should like to devote to her.

For some time, she has known and very much liked a slightly older girl who, I will admit, is quite a charming and pleasant person to know. Until some months ago, they were the very best of friends. Then the other girl entered a local college, met an entirely new group of people, with whom she probably has more in common; and thereafter has seen less and less of my daughter. This apparent indifference on the part of her friend has caused my daughter considerable worry and unhappiness, although (out of pride, I suppose) she has resolutely tried to conceal her feelings from the girl—and to some extent, from me.

She Coldly Rejects Her Mother's Counsel

When she does have opportunity to see or talk with this friend, she is overjoyed, and in far better spirits for several days afterward. But then she will be forgotten again, often for weeks; and it is pathetic to watch her run to answer the telephone or the doorbell, only to be disappointed. She accepts with the greatest alacrity every one of her friend's rare invitations and occasional gestures at renewing their friendship on the old footing—even breaking previous engagements to do so. I have tried to tell her that she should have more pride than this; that she should try to forget the girl and have other interests, etc., for she is quite popular herself and has many other friends. But she only looks at me as if I were a stranger and says, "Mother, her friendship, little as I see of her, is still worth a darn sight more to me than empty pride." Or words to that effect. And that is all she will say.

I think she is cherishing the hope than when the school term ends, her friend will come back to her. But I doubt it. I believe that the new associations formed during recent months will prove too strong; and that my daughter is only laying herself open to needless pain in anticipating such a change. If you agree with me, perhaps your suggestions would have some influence with her, for I should hate to see her hurt any more than she has been.

J. C. T.

Obsessive Devotion Is Unpleasant Tribute

DEAR J. C. T.: If my views would have weight with your daughter, I should like to tell her that her performance is giving her former "best friend" good reason to shun her, for the most part. So obsessive and possessive is her "crush" on the friend (let's call her Nancy), that one can imagine Nancy might find it a relief to escape the subconscious pressure of her almost suffocating fondness, which must keep Nancy rather uncomfortably on the defensive when they are together. If Nancy is a thoroughly normal girl, and intelligent and sensitive besides—as I gather she is,

I am inclined to think that Nancy began instinctively (not as all deliberately, but rather with innate wisdom), to "shed" your daughter, as bosom friend, when she found herself, through chance planning, in a social position where she might gracefully do so, with double profit to herself—in the sense of (1) regaining a buoyant freedom of spirit and social action which is never compatible with the "Siamese twin" mold of tightly exclusive friendship between two girls, and (2) investing that new-found freedom in innumerable other more happy-go-lucky alliances, each of which leads in turn to still other horizon-broadening "contacts."

Friends Must Stand On Their Own Feet

dependent attachment to her—an attachment which, in its capacity for rapturous intensity, is rather unseemly; or, at any rate, a definite exception to the rule between friends of the same sex.

Your daughter has arrived at a crisis in emotional experience where it is incumbent upon her to learn, for the sake of her present and future happiness, that, in the field of friendship, "Every tub must stand on its own bottom." Which is another way of saying that, in order to be fit to be a friend, in order to achieve the satisfying status of being cultivated and thankfully cherished as a friend, one must have developed a degree of genuine self-sufficiency—combined of quiet inner assurance and the acquired faculty of adventurously or contentedly "making the best of things"—which forever insures one against the abject plight and repulsive role of slavishly straining for hand-outs of affection from any "indifferent," or any special, source.

In the words of Rudyard Kipling, "If neither does nor loving friends can hurt you, if all men count with you, but none too much—," you have attained a proper and healthy self-sufficiency. And it is toward this goal that your daughter must strive, if she is to recover emotional balance in relation to Nancy, and, in so doing, give Nancy the "breathing space" in regard to her that each soul must have in relation to another, if their affectional ties or social dealings are to be mutually evocative of steadily ripening joyous accord.

M. H.

Miss Hawthorth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

RATION POINTS

Ration Deadlines

CANNING SUGAR—Home-makers can buy 10 pounds of sugar now, for canning purposes, without applying to their local ration boards. Take Stamps 15 and 16, Book 1, to grocer and obtain 5 pounds for each.

COFFEE—Coupon 23, Book 1, good for 1 pound through May 30.

SUGAR—Coupon 12, Book 1, good for 5 pounds through May 31. Stamps 15 and 16, Book 1, 5 pounds each for canning purposes, valid until October 31.

MEATS, butter, margarine, lard, fats and oils, cheese and canned fish—Red Coupons E, F, G, H and J, Book 2, valid through May 31.

CANNED FRUITS, canned vegetables, soups, fruits and vegetable juices, frozen foods, baby foods, catsup, dried beans (except soybeans), other processed foods—Blue Coupons G, H, J, K, L and M valid through June 7.

FUEL OIL—Coupon 5, good for 10 gallons until September 30.

GASOLINE—Coupon 5-A good for 3 gallons, but must last through July 22. Coupons B and C, good for 3 gallons each, expire according to date indicated in individual books.

SHOES—Coupon 17, Book 1, redeemable for one pair until June 15.

News of the Women's Clubs

By Genevieve Reynolds

Following the annual meetings, many of the women's organizations are closing house for summer. Still others are going into summer roles. Those continuing activities will concentrate on strictly wartime duties.

The District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs is rounding out the club year with two meetings this week. Tomorrow the members gather at the Gill-Bert, 2469 Sixteenth Street Northwest, for report of officers, department and committee chairmen, as well as the president of the various clubs affiliated with the federation.

At this time there also will be exhibits of oil paintings, water colors, metal art, china painting, hand and needle crafts, under auspices of Penny Art Fund, of which Mrs. Walter Miles is chairman. First winner gets a \$25 defense bond; second, a book of defense stamps. Judges are William H. Calfee, of the Phillips Art Gallery, Mrs. Nan Watson, member of the Artists' Guild, and Miss Anne Abbott of Abbott Art Schools.

Then Thursday, the annual luncheon will take place at the Statler Hotel followed by a short business session. Guest speakers are Dr. Paul A. Douglas, president of American University, and Mrs. Hester Beall Provensen of Maryland University Faculty. Dr. Douglas discusses "Woman's Place in Winning the War" and Mrs. Provensen talks on "Responses."

Mrs. Ellis Logan, dean of D. C. Federation presidents, will give the invocation. A musical program will be given by Frances Coates Grace, soprano (in private life, wife of Lieut. Comdr. John Grace, jr.) Marian

Mac Gregor, pianist, wife of Col. K. C. Mac Gregor, U. S. A. A. F.

Honor guests in addition to speakers and musicians will include Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Judge Fay Bentley, Mrs. Eleanor Patterson, Mrs. Walter Kriel, president of Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Archie Boatwright, president of Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. P. C. Ely, president of D. C. Congress of Parents and Teachers, and Mrs. Joy Elmer Morgan, president of Washington Council of Church Women.

Still another feature of the program will be presentation of the service flag to the federation by Mrs. Henry Campbell Shields, chairman of flags. The ceremony will be sponsored by the club's American Citizenship Department, of which Mrs. Tilman Bacon Parks is chairman.

Moving Headquarters

The American Women's Voluntary Services is moving its headquarters from 2170 Florida avenue to the Educational Building of the Church of the Pilgrims, Twenty-second and P Streets, Northwest, according to an announcement made by Miss Anita Phipps, president of the D. C. Unit. A. W. V. S. Moreover, there won't be any rent charges. Instrumental in helping to obtain the building was the Rev. Andrew Reid Bird, pastor of the church.

The church is a picturesque, gray stone church with graceful spires and archways. Located on the parkway at Twenty-second and P Streets, Northwest, it is surrounded by fresh green lawns. Although the name might imply that the Educational Building is a separate edifice—not so, it's connected with the church. Naturally, the canteen luncheons will be continued.

Bits of This and That...

WOMAN'S CLUB OF WOODSIDE meets tomorrow with Mrs. Lawrence James. Red Cross sewing, 10 to 12:30, will be followed

by luncheon and installation of officers. Mrs. M. L. Christie succeeds Mrs. Eben Whitcomb to the presidency. Other officers to be installed are Mrs. Allen H. Gardner, vice president; Mrs. James B. Mattison, recording secretary; Mrs. S. J. Solomon, treasurer; Mrs. George Butler, auditor, and Mrs. Victor Grotlich, director.

Chapter M. P. E. O. SISTERHOOD, entertains with box supper at season's end party, Thursday, 6:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Robert Le Roux, 208 Massachusetts Avenue Northeast. In charge of arrangements are Mrs. Le Roux, Mrs. Ethel Ashman, Miss Jane Rommel, and Miss Lois Baker. Fine Arts department of the WOMEN'S CLUB OF ARLINGTON holds program-tea, 1:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Roger L. Shearer, 1507 Thomas Street. Mrs. Ralph N. Ungemach reads a letter from Stephen Vincent Benet and Mrs. John R. Hoffer reviews "The Robe," by Lloyd Douglas. Mrs. Bert L. Williams, retiring president of PRO BONTA CLUB, entertained the members with a bridge lunch-

eon Sunday afternoon at the Kenesaw. Honor guests were the officers and chairmen who had served under Mrs. Williams' presidency.

Doings of the Day

WOMEN'S NATIONAL PRESS CLUB holds its final luncheon

meeting of season at 1 p. m. at Willard Hotel. Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins is guest speaker. Christine Sadler, retiring president, presides. James Reese Europe Unit, AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY, meets at Garnett Patterson School. VENTURE CLUB OF WASH-

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Six of One and a Dozer of the Other

By Jeanne Contini

Our head for figures is notoriously addled. Nevertheless we are about to suggest that three plus three can add up to about a dozen . . . and we never broke the bank at Monte Carlo. Anyway the number of possible combinations one can get out of playing around with six basic units is pretty high. However you add these up you can't lose.

They are all made of seersucker . . . the nice thin, close-rippled quality which is rapidly becoming as scarce as hen's teeth. It is practically indestructible and will respond

to the soapy overtures of a laundry novice without letting out a ripple. Individually, the pieces are extraordinarily well made, with ample seams and pleasant details like zipper plackets in both skirts, and a yoke-back to the shirt. The colors are blue, red, or brown with white. The sizes go from 10 to 20. The prices are as follows:

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Skirt		\$3.95
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Shorts		\$2.95
Slacks		\$3.95
Total		\$21.70

plus 15 minutes of shopping time and you take care of half of a summer wardrobe.

For bureaucrating, marketing, etc., the jacket and box-pleated skirt make an elegant little suit. Incidentally, the brown checks were born to be worn with wheat-colored cotton accessories. There are good bags in that shade for around three or four dollars.

If you are planning to go directly from the office to a 6 o'clock tennis match south of Union Station, you can be perfectly prepared without doing a Helen Wills Moody between the files by coming to

work in the shirt and the dirndl over the shorts. This reverse strip-tease will stand you doubly in good stead at the courts which are innocent of lockers.

Try the shirt and pleated skirt for an airy, crisp looking shirtwaist dress which isn't finicky about being worked in on one of those days when the heat makes you feel as though you were breathing through a pile of flapjacks.

A picnic on the roof of the Meridian Hotel between sunbaths can be neatly and com-

fortably negotiated in the skirt and shorts.

In these horticultural times, the price of a Sunday afternoon in the country often consists of an hour, put in on the host's garden . . . which is as it should be. For such eventualities the slacks can easily be rolled up into a bundle to carry about the size of a magazine, without losing their shape and will undoubtedly come in pretty handy.

You will probably want to juggle the sextet to suit yourself so call National 4200, extension 324, and we'll tell you where it is.



One Summer's Romance

—BY RITA HANSEN

Conclusion

Lisa came out of the hot stuffiness of Mark's office with a despair that weighted down every move she made. It was as hard to get out to her car as to do anything she ever remembered. And once there, she sat unmoving, parked on the main street, unable to think, to come to a decision.

Mark had been smug; smug and, in a nice way, triumphant. He seemed to be saying, "You jilted me and I made a nice profit out of it." As a matter of fact, he was polite enough. He just hadn't been interested in Lisa or her problems. "Lisa," he said tolerantly, "can't you see that the matter is out of my hands now? I've made all the arrangements with the resort company."

"But you knew I'd never sell the house if I thought you'd tear it down. You tricked me, Mark! You were tricking me all the time you pretended you wanted to marry me . . . you were trying everything to get your hands on the house."

"That isn't true, Lisa. I wanted to marry you, a long time before I wanted the farm. But how can you blame me? You said coming back here to live. There's no reason for being sentimental about an old house you're never going to live in again. In fact that isn't fit to live in!"

"But Mark, I am coming back again. I've left New York for good . . . There was humiliation in admitting that her romance and her career had both disappeared, but even that didn't matter much now. "I've still got the money you paid me! I'll give it all back! You won't lose anything."

"Lisa," he laughed tolerantly, "That's hardly the way to do business. I'm practical . . . you always knew that. You can't expect me to accept your decisions every time you change your mind."

Sitting in the airless, dusty office, staring at him, she tried to hate him, but she was forced to admit it was her own fault. Of course he was practical . . . he was only doing the practical thing. She was the one who had twisted everything, mixed it up so that it was all wrong. She went out and sat in the car, not wanting to go back to Effe's, or anywhere.

Because she couldn't put New York out of her mind just yet, she went down to Meller's Drug Store and bought a New York paper. There was a column about the show, announcing that after a quick switch in leading ladies the play showed every tendency to become a hit and looked like it was due for a year's run at least. She smiled and wrily.

This was the paper that had called her the Milkmaid Cinderella. That was what she was! Cinderella, and the clock had just struck midnight! And no Prince Charming in sight! And then she caught her breath, for there he was on the third page. Johnny with two of the girls in the play trying on an overseas cap and a soldier's coat. And the caption: "Author of hit show enlists on morning after."

She was angry because it made her so proud. Johnny had stopped running away from the world at last. He'd said his beautiful words, given his message and now he was going out to fight for it. The paper wrinkled as her head went down on the steering wheel and fled for the first time since the opening night, she wept.

The next morning the wreckers arrived to start tearing down the house. Lisa sat in Effe's kitchen,

watching them, unable to do anything to stop them. She just sat and rocked and Effe went about her work, sniffing once in a while and saying nothing. The wreckers went about methodically with their grim business and, to Lisa, it was like watching a murder. But still she couldn't help watching.

It was about noon when she heard the familiar slamming of brakes and there was the tomato-red convertible outside the door. Lisa stood up but the strength went out of her legs and she sat down again. Johnny! Here!

He ran up the steps two at a time, banged the screen door and then, reaching into his pocket, he walked slowly over to Lisa.

"Here," he said, "I think you mislaid it, but this belongs to you." She looked down at her lap, where he had thrown the sapphire ring.

"Johnny," she whispered, "Oh, Johnny, you did come!" Because now she realized that she'd been waiting for him all the time. He sat down on the arm of her chair, gathered her into his arm and kissed the ring back on her finger.

"You deserve a reward," she said. "I wouldn't have lost it for anything!"

"Why did you run away?"

"Because I was so bad I nearly ruined your play, and I thought you were laughing at me, all of you. I thought you were in love with Julie, too. She's a much better actress . . ."

"You have no brains whatever and you're a lousy actress, that's why I love you. I don't want a glamour girl, just a wife sitting home waiting for me . . ."

"Johnny, I know you enlisted! I saw it in the papers! I was so proud, it was wonderful!"

"Hell, what's wonderful about it? There's nothing very wonderful in doing what everybody else is doing. Besides I want to belong to this world . . . I want to do something about it . . ."

"But your work, Johnny," she said timidly. "Your plays . . ."

"There'll be time for that later on, when I come back to our broken down old farmhouse, where you're going to wait for me . . ."

She had forgotten the house for a moment. "Johnny," she gasped, "I don't know how to tell you . . . it's so terrible . . ."

"I know all about it," he said with mock smugness. "I've been rather busy since you saw me last, dear. I had a little talk with Mark and then I had a little talk with the resort people. I told them a few of the sad facts about the community, such as the fact there are no fish in the river—we found that out. Lisa—and the winter is usually about eight months and the mosquitoes—murder! Of course, they didn't pay much attention to me until I offered them twice as much as they paid for it!"

"Johnny, Johnny, you bought it back . . . but all that money!"

"Well, it's the best place I ever found to work. And that's something. And then you sort of like it, don't you, baby?" She tried to show him how much she liked it, and after awhile he said, "And you can be grateful Julie's a good actress so the darn play runs long enough to pay for this."

"Darling," she said, "I don't deserve anything as wonderful as you."

"Well, you may be right," he admitted, "but let's not argue about it. Let's walk over and tell the wrecking crew they can start doing a little constructive work. Somehow I don't mind going away now, because for the first time I've got a home and someone to come back to . . . and to fight for."

(The end.)

Your Baby And Mine

By Myrtle Meyer Eldred

It ought to be pretty apparent that there are two kinds of hair, straight and curly—as well as infinite variations of both of these classifications.

It ought to be just as obvious that it can't be merely the way a parent combs the baby's hair that is responsible for straightness or curliness. It is something much more ineradicable—an hereditary tendency to one or the other. It is the nature of the hair shaft itself, whether it is round or flat, that makes hair responsive or unresponsive to being curled.

Curly hair is considered to be a desirable asset these days. It belongs among the present day beauty standards and because of that mothers wish, nay, yearn, for their small daughters to have curly hair. It looks so pretty, it's so much easier to dress. While I am quite in sympathy with this aspiration I cannot hold out too much hope for its gratification.

Mrs. M.H., along with many others, imagines that in some way she is to blame because of her daughter's straight hair. "My oldest daughter of 10 has curly hair," she writes, "and since she was a baby I have never done anything to make it curl. I have another girl of 4 and no matter how much I try to curl her hair when I wash it, I can't train it to curl. I hope you can suggest something as I have certainly had no luck so far."

If it were a matter of luck one might do something, but this idea that one can wet straight hair and train it, by brushing the wrong way, to end up in a curl, persists despite just the discouragement you voice.

You can make even a flat shaving of wood curl, but try to keep a curl in a hollow wooden tube! You are up against that factor in straight hair. There are all degrees of straightness and curliness. Those parents whose children's hair looks straight but has some curly tendencies are the ones who have been successful in their training toward more noticeable curliness.

Unless you want to accept straight hair and make the most of it, cutting it properly, or braiding it attractively on sides or top and decorating with artificial bows, then my one suggestion is that you wait until the child is old enough to give her the benefit of a permanent wave.

All waves, of whatever nature, accomplish this miracle by fattening the rounded hair shaft either with heat or chemicals or a combination of the two. Other than this I have no hope at all. Your daughter didn't inherit the same type of hair as the older child and no amount of "training" will make it the same.

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Martha Ellyn's Platter Chatter



A crisp cheese waffle topped with a poached egg or broiled tomato slice can be the pivotal dish for dinner on those days when meat ration points are not available. The waffle can be made from scratch or grated cheese can be added to ready mixed waffles.

If you are having difficulty making both ends of your ration coupon allotment meet, it's good strategy to take advantage of cheese.

Classed as an economical protein food, cheese can now be rated as one of the outstanding bargains of the ration book for both nutrition and appetite satisfaction obtained per point.

A 4-ounce canister of American-style grated cheese, for instance, costs only 2 points, and is enough to turn a dish usually served as an "extra" into a nourishing and satisfactory mainstay.

By the addition of cheese, waffles, for example, can be turned into a substantial main dish. Unrationed vegetables, too, qualify as mainstay dishes that give appetite satisfaction if they are baked in a casserole with a generous addition of grated cheese.

The new cardboard perforated tops that have replaced the steel tops on the canisters of American-style grated cheese do not affect the good keeping qualities of cheese. They should be kept closed when not in use because grated cheese becomes lumpy if it picks up moisture. For the same reason the canisters should not be kept in the refrigerator. Swiss and American cheese, on the other hand, should be kept in the refrigerator. It is best,

however, to buy just the cheese you need, as the grocery store or delicatessen can keep them better than you can.

Here's a menu that will stack high in nutrition and appeal, having waffles as the main dish:

Dinner Menu
Cheese Waffles
Grilled Tomatoes
Creamed Asparagus
Fresh Fruit Compote
Oatmeal Cookies
Milk Tea

The recipe for making the cheese waffles follows. They may be topped with grilled tomatoes if desired.

CHEESE WAFFLES
Sift flour, measure to 2 cups. Add 2 teaspoons baking powder and ½ teaspoon salt and shift

again. Combine 3 well-beaten egg yolks with cup milk and 4 tablespoons butter. Add to the flour, beating until smooth. Fold in 3 stiffly beaten egg whites and 1 cup American-style grated cheese. Bake on hot waffle iron. Place a grilled tomato slice on each section. Makes four four-section waffles.

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Your Figure, Madame!

By Ida Jean Kain

There are those who claim that exercise is the cure for whatever ails you. And there are others who are violently opposed to exercise in any shape or form. I am a middle-of-the-roader.

I am not so sure callisthenics will help you to live longer. I know they won't keep you from catching cold if you are exposed to the bug when you are overly tired. They won't even count toward your weight loss unless you cut down on the calories.

But I can't string along with the school that maintains the less exercise after 40 the better. I might point out that the man who was so fond of saying, "Never stand when you can sit, and never sit when you can lie down" is dead. He failed by about 25 years to live out his potential three score and 10.

You have to get some exercise to keep from rusting out. If you want to take it outdoors in walking or gardening or in pleasant recreations like swimming or golf, fine. There's no argument about that.

But for the people whose exercise is limited to stretching to reach a streetcar strap, a planned program of activity is an absolute necessity. This does not mean going around flexing your biceps or proving that you can bend over and touch your toes. It means doing any more strenuous than putting your joints through their full range of motion every day. That is enough to keep you from getting stiff. Moreover, the stimulation to the nerve endings in the joints will increase your sense of well-being.

The joints that seem to creak first are the kneecaps. The

good old deep-knee bend will prevent that. Do it barefoot and do not go past the point where you can keep your heels on the floor. If that is too much work, skip it and swing your legs to keep the joints supple. Sit on a table and swing your legs loosely back and forth from the knees.

Then stand at the side of the table with one hand on it for support and swing outer leg from the hip joint back and forth for a few counts, then circle leg out in front, to side, and in back, for about the same number. Rest for about the same number. Repeat with other leg on outside. Make all the swings free and easy.

Circle arms at shoulders, up, around, back and down. Do this first with one arm, then the other. Bend the elbows with hands up toward shoulders.

Curl your toes up toward the instep, then stretch them and circle each foot at the ankle in one direction, then the other. Finally, circle hands loosely at wrists.

Mild as it is, that sort of exercise will help you to keep supple and fit.

But if you want to keep really fit and to have a beautiful figure, you will take a few exercises of a more vigorous type for the mid-section muscles.

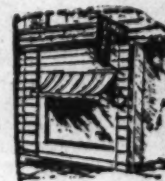
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Many Service Men Take Brides In Traditionally Formal Rites

Two Ceremonies Are Performed In Chapel at Naval Academy

There was no rationing of weddings over the weekend, as scores of servicemen took brides in traditionally formal ceremonies. Miss Elizabeth Griggs, daughter of Capt. John Bradford Griggs, U. S. N., and Mrs. Griggs, was married on Saturday to Maj. Montgomery Cunningham Meigs, U. S. A. He is the son of Comdr. and Mrs. John Forsyth Meigs.

The ceremony took place in the Naval Academy Chapel in Annapolis, with Chaplain William N. Thomas officiating.

Captain Griggs gave his daughter in marriage. She was attired in ivory satin, made with full-length train and a Juliet cap of seed pearls held her net veil. Her bouquet was of gardenias. Miss Beverly Old, the maid of honor, was costumed in yellow marquisette and carried spring flowers. The bridesmaids, Miss Margaret Sassenby, Miss Anne Wattles, Miss Edwina Motter and Miss Diana Arakelian, wore green marquisette and carried similar bouquets. Lieut. Charles H. Meigs served as best man, and ushers included Lieut. Robert S. Gregory, Lieut. Donald Siggett, Midshipman Paul Miller and Midshipman Joseph Head.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Officers Club, and the couple left later on a wedding trip to New York. They will make their home at Camp Campbell, Tenn. The bride attended Mary Washington College, and Major Meigs was graduated from the United States Military Academy in 1940.

Moulton-Thorn

Another marriage at the Naval Academy on Saturday was that of Miss Jane Evans Thorn and Ensign Bernard W. Moulton, U. S. N.

The bride is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Godfrey R. Thorn of Washington, and Ensign Moulton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Webster C. Moulton of Syracuse, N. Y. The ceremony took place at 5 o'clock in St. Andrew's Chapel.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was costumed in ivory net over fallie taffeta. She wore an heirloom lace mantilla and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Nancy Marsh, the maid of honor, and the bridesmaid, Miss Virginia Miller, were attired in frocks of peach marquisette and carried peach blush roses. Serving as best man was Lieut. Richard T. Miller and ushers were Midshipmen Kenneth C. Gummerston, Ted Saunders, William Starnard, Allan Copeland, and Gilbert Gallmar.

The wedding reception was held in the ballroom of Carvel Hall, and the couple left later for a wedding trip to New York. The bride received her degree from the University of Maryland. Ensign Moulton attended M. I. T., and is a graduate of the Naval Academy.

Grant-Glascock

Now on a brief wedding trip, are Lieut. Charles Scribner Grant and his bride, the former Miss Katherine Maybaw Glascock.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harold W. Glascock of Raleigh, N. C., and Lieutenant Grant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamar Grant of this city.

Their marriage took place in the Edenton Methodist Church in Raleigh. The bride's only attendant was her sister-in-law, Mrs. Spencer Glascock, and Mr. Grant served his son as best man.

Lieutenant Grant has just returned from Australia and New Guinea where for the past fifteen months he served as navigator on a bomber. He was graduated from St. Albans School and Dartmouth College. The bride attended Peace College in Raleigh and is a graduate of the University of Miami.

Denton-Bonnette

St. Anthony's Rectory in Baton Rouge, La., was the scene of the marriage on Saturday of Miss Dorris E. Bonnette of that city to Staff Sergt. Edward C. Denton of Washington.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bonnette of Baton Rouge, and Sergeant Denton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Edward Denton of Washington. The Rev. W. L. Knoblock officiated at the 4:30 ceremony and a reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. Bonnette gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a frock of navy blue crepe with white accessories and carried white roses. Her only attendant was Mrs. J. W. Stone Jr., who wore a white costume and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Staff Sergt. Herman Tierce was the best man.

Cole-Vanderpool

A military ceremony at Fort Washington on Saturday united in marriage Miss Vivian Ruth Vanderpool and Lieut. Sylvan Cole Jr.

The bride, who has been making her home in Washington, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Louis Vanderpool of Norman, Okla. Lieutenant Cole is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Cole of New York.

Following the 4:30 service in the Post Chapel a reception took place at the Officers Club. The bride wore white satin and marquisette and carried a white Bible and orchids. Mrs. Harry Cooke Jr., was the matron of honor and Lieut. Arthur Crownover the best man.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma and Lieutenant Cole received his degree from the Horace Mann School and Cornell University.



MRS. SYLVAN COLE, JR., who was before her marriage on May 22 at Fort Washington, Miss Vivian Ruth Vanderpool

Dorothy Leichtman To Be Married In Washington

Mrs. Hugh Kelsea Moore of York Harbor, Me. and New Port Richey, Fla., announces the engagement of her daughter, Dorothy Esther, to Lieut. Edwin S. Leichtman.

A frequent visitor to Washington, Miss Moore is the cousin of Mrs. John Roche of the Wardman Park Hotel. She is a graduate of Simmons College and holds a master's degree from Cornell University. She is now engaged as a librarian in Bristol, Conn.

Lieutenant Leichtman received his degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Alabama, and has been an instructor in Officer's Candidate School at Fort Belvoir, Va. He is now a staff officer at MacDill Field, Tampa, Fla.

The wedding will take place here on June 27 in the Madison Room of the Wardman Park Hotel. Attendants will be Miss Hope Kibbey of Boston, as maid of honor, and Mrs. Torin Otte-dahl, Miss Frances J. Boone and Miss Elizabeth Dougherty of Washington, as bridesmaids.

Mr., Mrs. H. S. Brock To Make Home Here

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stell Brock, whose marriage took place in Bridgeville, Del. recently, will make their home in Washington after a short wedding trip.

The ceremony at which they exchanged vows was in the Union Methodist Church at 4 p. m. The Rev. George Shults officiated. Given in marriage by her father, the former Miss Virginia Lee Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Oliver Bennett of Bridgeville, was gown in white marquisette with a long train and a finger-tip veil held in place with a tiara of lilies of the valley. Her bouquet was of white iris and lilies of the valley.

Miss Geneva Dittick was maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Miss Marian Dittick and Mrs. John Massey, Jr. Dr. John W. Massey, Jr. of Richmond, Va., was best man. A reception followed the ceremony.

Mr. Brock, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brock of College Park, Md., is with the Maritime Commission.

S. J. Dennises, Long Capital Residents, To Live in Florida

Mr. and Mrs. S. James Dennis, residents of Washington for nearly 30 years, left last week for Clearwater, Fla., where they will remain for several months before establishing their permanent home somewhere in Florida.

Mr. Dennis retired May 1 from the Division of Farm Structure Research, Department of Agriculture, after 37 years of service. They have sold their home on Van Buren Street, Takoma Park, D. C., to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Funkhouser of Eighth Street Northwest. Social leaders for many years in Takoma Park, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis have been extensively entertained at a whirl of farewell parties during the last few weeks.

Their son-in-law and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. C. Temple Thomas, who made their home with them, have purchased a new home in Friendship Heights.

Mrs. Burke in New York For Meetings

Mrs. Thomas Burke who went to New York for the annual meeting of the People's Mandate held on Thursday, is spending several days with her sister and brother at their home at Oyster Bay, Long Island, before returning to Washington.

On Sunday Mrs. Burke addressed a large gathering of WAVES and WAACS at the Women's Military Service Club in New York, the speech being broadcast over the Blue Network. She took as her subject, "The Responsibilities of the United States and the Other American Republics in the Winning of the Peace." High ranking Army and Naval officers of the area were in the audience and also Mayor LaGuardia, Grover Whalen and other representatives of various civic organizations in New York State.

Miss Mary Woolley, distinguished educator, presided at the annual meeting of the People's Mandate which was held at the Cosmopolitan Club. Mrs. Burke, chairman of the American Republics division of the mandate gave the main address. "The processes of consultation and collaborative action" she said, "which have evolved from the practice of the Good-Neighbor policy might well become a pattern for the conduct of world-wide international relations in the days that lie ahead of us." To substantiate this thought Mrs. Burke quoted freely from the speeches of the Secretary of State and the Undersecretary of State and her remarks were enthusiastically received when she suggested that the reciprocal trade agreements program, "a sound, equitable and just basis for the conduct of commerce," was a fitting companion piece of the Good Neighbor policy itself.

Capital Spotlight



MISS JOAN BARBARA MACNEIL daughter of the Macneil of Bard and Mrs. Macneil, whose wedding to Capt. Richard Blackburn Washington will take place on June 5 in the Bethlehem Chapel of the Washington Cathedral. Captain Washington is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell Washington of Chevy Chase

Mrs. Beal to Be Married to Major Darling

Scheduled to take place on Saturday in Washington is the marriage of Mrs. Albert Reynolds Beal, daughter of Edward Brooks Manley, of Meriden, Conn., and Mrs. Manley of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., to Maj. Joseph Warren McNab Darling, U. S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Robinson Darling of Garrison, N. Y. The bride-elect attended schools in Holland and Antwerp; Knickerbocker College, London, and Lycée Victor Duruy, Paris. She is a graduate of Putnam Hall School for Girls and Vassar College. After the first World War she was decorated by the French government for services in French and American hospitals.

Major Darling is a great-grandson of the late Cadwallader Washburn, Governor of Wisconsin, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelsey, of Chestnut Hill, Pa. He is a nephew of Albert Kelsey of Quogue, Long Island, architect of the Pan American Union Building in Washington. A graduate of Choate School, Major Darling was also graduated from Harvard College and the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania. He attended schools in Madrid and France. He is a member of the Pennsylvania Club of New York; Chevy Chase Club and Harvard Club of Washington, and the Cricket and Swords Club of Philadelphia. He is also affiliated with the Authors Club of London and is a member of the Seventh Regiment of New York.

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It was a simple ceremony—no fuss, folderol or fanfare—in the office of Senator Pat McCarran of Nevada. Only a few friends and relatives witnessed the rites at which Judge George D. Nielson officiated. But the wedding at which a former Estonian baroness exchanged vows yesterday with Dr. Andre Van Wagenberg, a member of the Netherlands Economic Mission, adds another chapter—well, a footnote at least—to a Washington narrative begun over 100 years ago.

Yesterday's bride was Baroness Aino De Bodisco, former wife of Baron Arvid De Bodisco, whose great-great-uncle, Baron Alexandre De Bodisco, cut a swath in Washington society when he was Russian Ambassador from 1837 to 1854. She is the daughter of Kaarel Robert Pusta, former Estonian Foreign Minister, and Mrs. Pusta, who have been making their home in New York for the past few years. Mr. Pusta is accredited to the State Department.

Some Sidelights

On Minister Bodisco

Back in 1939, Baron and Baroness De Bodisco arrived in Washington; stayed for several months and were widely entertained. At one time Paris correspondent for a string of Estonian newspapers, he had also served as music critic for La Vie Parisienne. It was in Paris that he met Aino Pusta, whose father was on diplomatic duty there. The De Bodisco-Pusta marriage took place in Paris in 1934, and shortly thereafter, the two began making plans to come to America for a visit in the city where the baron's great-great-uncle had served as envoy for almost two decades.

Complete Story

Would Fill Book

All social chronicles of "old" Washington carry detailed accounts of the doings and sayings of the fabulously rich Russian Ambassador who lived in splendor in the Georgetown home that Mr. and Mrs. Francis de Wolfe purchased some years ago. Away back in 1842, the baron, then about 60 years old, gave a lavish party for two nephews who had just come over from Europe. That was just about the time—as you'll know, if you're up on your American history—that our Government was becoming interested in the Territory of Alaska. Thanks to the cooperation of the old Russian Ambassador, America purchased the Territory at a bargain rate. If I seem to be skipping from romance to the Nation's business and international negotiation and back again, in telling this Bodisco story, it's because that's the only way it can be told without writing a book about it. But certainly any reference to Ambassador Bodisco would be incomplete without mention of his meeting at the party he gave for the nephews, 16-year-old Harriet Williams whom he later married. "Brilliant" was the word for the wedding reception to which flocked an ex-President, a President-to-be, and a throng of diplomats and officials. So much for old Bodisco, whose story I remember re-



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counting in part to the young Baron De Bodisco soon after he came to Washington in 1939. Incidentally, he and his wife left after a few months; went to New York to make their home; and Washington lost track of them for the time being. Then, back in November of last year, a press dispatch from Reno carried news of their divorce.

At the time Baroness De Bodisco received her divorce, there appeared an announcement that she planned to marry Dr. Van Wagenberg. Senator McCarran, who had helped to arrange the divorce proceedings in his home State, offered to be a witness at the wedding. Plans for the latter originally tied into June rites and a more elaborate ceremony; but when the prospective bridegroom, who has taken out his first American citizenship papers, was called to the United States Army, arrangements for the wedding were rushed.

Senator Serves As Witness

So when the marriage took place in the Senate Office Building, Senator McCarran was witness for the bride; while former Senator William H. King was witness for Dr. Van Wagenberg. Later, there was a dinner at the Carlton, guests including Senator and Mrs. McCarran, former Senator King, the parents of the bride, and her brother, Kaarel Pusta; Mrs. Austin Kautz, who will entertain at a later afternoon party today in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Van Wagenberg.

Mrs. Kautz, incidentally, has known the bridegroom ever since he came to this country in 1939 from Holland, where his parents still are living.

Dr. and Mrs. Van Wagenberg will be in Washington until Saturday and then will go to New York to spend a few days. From then on, their plans for the future will depend on Army orders.

Snra. Arroyo Honor Guest At Luncheon

Honoring Senora de Arroyo, wife of the President of Ecuador, Col. and Mrs. Bolivar J. Lloyd entertained informally at luncheon at the Shoreham yesterday.

Mrs. Lloyd, who was born in Guayaquil, Ecuador, and lived there until her marriage to Dr. Lloyd, has been a friend of Senora de Arroyo's since they were both children. She had hoped to give a much larger entertainment for the First Lady of Ecuador, but the hotel ban on large parties limited the affair to a very few.

Senora de Arroyo's son, Augustine, attended yesterday's luncheon, as did the Ecuadorian Ambassador, Captain Colon Eloy Alfaro, and Senora de Alfaro; Senora Maria Luisa Puig de Sosa, sister of Senora de Alfaro; Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Amos A. Fries; the Ecuadorian Military Attaché, Col. Augustin Alban; and Senora de Alban; the Commercial Counselor of the Ecuadorian Embassy, Emilio de Maulme; and Senora de Maulme; Dr. and Mrs. Ricardo Alfaro and Senor and Senora Ramon Yaza.

On Thursday Senora de Alfaro will entertain at luncheon for Senora de Arroyo at the Mayflower Hotel, and on Thursday last Senora de Maulme honored the Ecuadorian President's wife at a tea at her apartment at the Westchester.

Helen Varela Is Wed to Marine Officer

On a brief wedding trip are Lieut. Ralph E. Boynton, U. S. M. C. R., and his bride, the former Miss Helen Birney Varela. The bride is the daughter of Edmond A. Varela and the late Mrs. Varela, and Lieutenant Boynton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Boynton of Los Angeles, Calif.

Their marriage took place on May 20 in Christ Church in Alexandria, with the Rev. Charles T. Warner officiating at the 5 o'clock service. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white satin and lace wedding gown made on princess lines and a tulle veil held with a cap of pearls. Arthur A. Varela, brother of the bride, served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of National Cathedral School and studied at the Corcoran Art School. Lieutenant Boynton received his degree at Occidental College, where he was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and Phi Beta Kappa.

Wallaces Honored by Quezons

Honoring Vice-President and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, the President of the Philippine Commonwealth and Senora Manuel Quezon entertained at dinner on Sunday evening in their suite at the Shoreham.

Guests included Associate Justice of the Supreme Court Frank Murphy, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Senator Rufus C. Holman, Senator and Mrs. Bennett Champ Clark, Senator and Mrs. Tom Connally, Senator and Mrs. Dennis Chavez, Senator and Mrs. Warren R. Austin, Senator Hattie Caraway, Mrs. Charles McNary, Director of the Office of Economic Stabilization James Byrnes and Mrs. Byrnes, Mrs. Richard Sutherland, Mrs. Arthur MacArthur, Mrs. Marguerite Murphy Teahan, J. M. Elizalde and Col. Manuel Nieto.

Nancy Scott Engaged to Roger Dixon

Mrs. James Rittenhouse Scott of Brandon, Vt., and Charlottesville, Va., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Nancy Curtis, to Roger Coit Dixon of Washington. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dixon of Princeton, N. J.

Miss Scott is a graduate of St. Anne's School at Charlottesville and attended Columbia University. Mr. Dixon was graduated from Phillips-Exeter Academy and Princeton and held a fellowship at Brookings. He is a grandson of the late Dr. William Jewett Tucker, president of Dartmouth College.

The wedding will take place in June.

Marilyn Clark to Wed H. Richard Bean

Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Clark of Silver Spring, Md., gave a surprise party last night to celebrate the 20th birthday anniversary of their daughter, Marilyn Lela, and to announce her engagement to H. Richard Bean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Bean, of Takoma Park. The prospective bridegroom is a student at George Washington Medical School and will receive the rank of lieutenant in the U. S. Army Medical Corps next month. He took his premedical course at American University. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Pi and Beta Beta Beta fraternities. Miss Clark is a member of Pi Sigma Chi sorority and is now with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. No date has been set for the wedding.

Fete at Embassy For War Relief

Mme. Fotitch, wife of the Yugoslavian Ambassador, will entertain at a 4:30 to 6:30 party on Friday at the embassy. Definitely a party-with-a-purpose, the fete is being given by the Washington Committee of American Friends of Yugoslavia. Milena, the noted painter, will be the guest of honor. She has donated one of her paintings to the committee to be sold for the benefit of the war fund. Several other of Milena's paintings will be on exhibition. No invitations are being issued to this "come and bring your friends" party.

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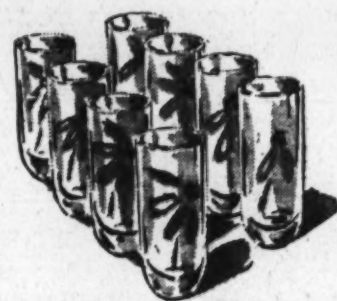
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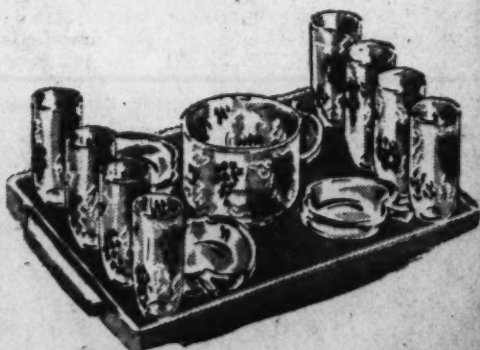
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Mr. and Mrs. Eric Johnston entertained at a dinner at the Pan American Room of the Mayflower last evening. Mr. Johnston is president of the United States Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Frederick L. Graham is spending a few days in New York at the Delmonico.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frederick Duncan will entertain at a late afternoon party on Saturday from 5 to 7:30 o'clock in the ballroom of the Kennedy-Warren.

Mrs. Edward B. McLean will entertain at dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Henry Rea of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Margaret Ray has returned to her home in Tuxedo Park, Long Island, after a week's visit with Comdr. and Mrs. P. C. Corning of Country Club Hills, Arlington, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley A. Coonley of Kensington, Md., will spend the summer "at" her father, Campbell Locke, who has just opened his home on Ocean Avenue, Lawrence, Long Island. Mr. Coonley, who has been with the WPB in Washington, has been transferred to New York.

Mrs. Rodman DeKay has re-

turned to Washington to be here until the graduation of her daughter, Miss Ann Craven DeKay, from Holton-Arms. They will return to their home in Port Washington on Long Island, following the commencement exercises here. Lieut. Comdr. DeKay is on sea duty.

Lieut. Col. Julian Emcee has returned to Camp Macall, N. C., after a short visit with his parents, Col. and Mrs. George Emcee, at their Kennedy-Warren apartment.

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The brief announcement did not mention Lieut. Gen. Ben Lear, commander of the Second Army who held the ground forces command temporarily during McNair's absence. Lear reached the statutory retirement age of 64 on May 12. He will be retired at the end of this month, but recalled to active duty immediately for a new, but as yet undisclosed assignment.

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Good Working Conditions and Highest Wages.
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FULL AND PART TIME
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ROOM 732, EARLE BLDG.

Grocery Clerks
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Produce Men
Experienced
Excellent Salary
Good Opportunity
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Excellent Pay
Good Working Conditions and Opportunity.
Apply Chief Engineer
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White
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Colored
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For permanent position
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Truck Drivers
Over 21 years old; starting salary \$30 for 40 hour week, \$34 after 3 months. Time and a half for overtime.

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Excellent Salary
6-Day Week
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WAITER—PART TIME
 Good pay. Good working conditions. No experience required.
 SADDLER HOTEL, 1728 M St. N.W.

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 Higher than work of other; 8-hour day; pay in town; good working conditions. Apply to Mr. Jenkins, 225 Madison St. N.E.

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 WITH OWN CAR
 WITH BICYCLE
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 With Opportunity for Overtime.
 PART-TIME WORK
 Opportunity to add to your present income. Hours arranged to suit your present working or school schedule.
 Apply Mr. Jenkins, 2nd Floor
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 BY A LARGE
 Pacific Northwest Coast Shipyard
 Ages 18 to 55
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 Transportation Advanced!
 Attractive Wages Offered
 According to skills and apt assignments. Work week 48 hours—time and one-half for work in excess of 40 hours

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 Previous shipbuilding experience not essential
 ★
 Immediate Complete Living Facilities Available for All Men Employed
 Men having draft status 1-A, 2-A or 2-B will not be considered. Applicants must bring draft registration and classification and social security cards.
 Workers employed full time in war industry will not be considered.
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 Company representative will interview applicants daily 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.
 APPLY
 U. S. Employment Service War Manpower Commission
 501 E St. N. W.

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 Women—If you don't see your position in the Help Wanted Column today, don't wait. Write "Help Wanted" in the box at the bottom of the column and we will send you a list of all the positions available in the Help Wanted Column.
BUS GIRLS, DISHWASHERS
 Washington Restaurant Association, 2000 Eye St. N.W., NO. 100.
CASHIERS with some previous experience; permanent work; good salary; wonderful opportunity for advancement. Apply Montgomery Ward, Alexandria, Va.
CLERK-TYPIST—\$156
 R. E. section of city.
 ADAMS AGENCY, 224 Colo. Bldg., 14th & O.
CLERKS
 For dry-cleaning store. Experience not necessary; good pay; steady work; full or part-time. Apply at once.
DEPENDABLE CLEANERS
 3008 Columbia Pike, Arlington, Va.
BILLING CLERKS (2)
 Age 18 to 35; must be good at figures; 5-12 40-hour week; starting salary \$25 per week.
 NATIONAL BISCUIT CO., 336 Randolph Place N.E.
COUNTER GIRLS (2)
 The wages: laundries and meals free; good pay for 16th period. E. W. Food Shop, 1033 17th St. N.W.
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 WHITE (18-20 YEARS)
 EVENING WORK
 \$21 PER WEEK
 MEALS, UNIFORM, VACATION.
 QUICK PROMOTION.
 NEDICK'S
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 115 Stirling.
 Promote Advancement
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 With 2-door automobile; service food; working environment in military and Government locations; permanent; \$23 week guarantee.
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 APPLY PERSONNEL
 2300 Rhode Island Ave. N.E. DU 1415
RECEPTIONIST, \$150
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 \$1.50 per 100.
SHIRT FOLDERS
 \$1 per 100.
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RHODE SALESWOMEN—Experienced. Very liberal salary and commissions. Young's, 1204 P St. N.W.
STATISTICAL CLERK—\$50 WEEK
 Know algebra and trigonometry.
 ADAMS AGENCY, 224 Colo. Bldg., 14th & P St. N.W.
Stenographer-Bookkeeper
 Steady position, Box 128, Wash. Post.
STENOGR., \$185 MONTH
 Bldg. legal. \$40 to \$50 week. Steady. 4100 month.
 Steady. 4100 month. \$42.
 Steady. vacation commission. \$35 to \$45 week.
 See Miss White, BOYD'S SERVICE
 1333 P St. N.W. Est. 25 Years.
STENOGRAPHER, \$160 Mo.
 Apply Room 400, Tower Bldg., 1406 K St. N.W.
TELEPHONE OPERATORS
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PERSONNEL SERVICE
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TYPIST, \$145 MO.
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TYPIST—CLERICAL
 National motion picture company has opening in local branch for typist also capable of clerical work. Apply United Artists Corp., 924 New Jersey Ave. N.W., after 5 p. m.
TYPIST
STENOGRAPHERS
 Many desirable positions. Open daily. Adams Agency, 204 Colo. Bldg., 14th & O.
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 EXPERIENCED.
 Wages good; meals excellent.
 Apply in person.
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WAITRESS FOR NIGHT WORK
MATPLOVER DINER
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 For exclusive even shoe; excellent salary.
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Office Girls
 Messengers
 Photostat Trainees
 Opportunity for Advancement
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 Apply All Week Employment Office
 Hours: Mon. through Fri., 9 to 6; Sat., 9 to 1.
 ALSO TUES. EVENINGS UNTIL 9

GIRL
 For Office
 Capable of Running Switchboard
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 WO. 5900

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 Knowledge of bookkeeping and typing. Good pay, hours and working conditions. Must live in the vicinity of Hyattsville, Md. Apply at once.
 To Mr. Garner
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TYPIST
 Good working conditions and environment. Minimum speed 35 words.
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Waitresses
 Apply
 Miss Winfield
 Coffee Shop
WILLARD HOTEL

Young Woman
 22 to 29 Years of Age
 For telephone investigation work. Clerical background helpful. Salary dependent on qualifications. Good opportunity for advancement.
 Call Miss Morse
 Dup. 5100

Assistant Payroll Clerk
 Apply
 Paymaster
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Secretary
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 Mr. Grimm
WILLARD HOTEL

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 Must have fast, accurate handwriting. Good starting salary.
 40-Hour Week
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OFFICE WORK
 No Experience or Typing Necessary
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 2nd Floor, Room 200
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 With knowledge of general bookkeeping, general office work and typing; shorthand not necessary.
 40-Hour Week
 Wednesday and Saturday afternoons off; good pay, permanent position.
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Seamstress
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 For Linen Room
 Also
 Maids
 White
 Apply in Person
 Housekeeper
Washington Hotel
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TYPISTS
 Ages 18 to 30
 Minimum Typing Speed
 30 Words Per Minute
 SALARY PAID DURING TRAINING PERIOD
 Good Opportunity for Advancement
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EXPERIENCED TELEPHONE OPERATORS
 Apply
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 722 12th St. N.W., 4th Floor
 Monday thru Friday
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 Graduating from High School
 VITAL WAR INDUSTRY
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 Learn Teleprinter Operation
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 Pleasant Surroundings
 New Class Beginning Now
 No Experience Necessary
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COUNTER GIRLS
 WHITE
 \$23.50 Week
 Uniforms and Meals
 No Sunday Work
 Apply B. J. Smith
 7 to 8 P. M.
POPPINO'S
 FOUNTAIN OF HEALTH
 3101 14th St. N.W.

WOMAN
 Experienced in Selling
 Ladies' Ready to Wear
 Preferably living in Silver Spring, Md.
YEAGER'S
 8845 Colesville Road

Shoe Saleslady
 Apply during store hours in person
Rich's Shoe Store
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Shoe Saleswomen
 Experience Not Necessary
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LANSBURGH & BROS.
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 Have Immediate Openings
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SALESWOMEN
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 To Work in Our Stores
 \$24.80 per week to start.
 Excellent opportunity for advancement.
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 Every effort will be made to place you near your home.
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OFFICE CLERICALS
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Funeral Today For Dr. Williams, D. C. Druggist

Funeral services for Dr. Joseph C. Williams, 60, will be held at 2 p. m. today at the Lee funeral home, Fourth and Massachusetts Avenue Northeast. Burial will be in Glenwood Cemetery where Masonic services also will be held. Dr. Williams, who died Friday at Providence Hospital, was born in Westernport, Md., July 14, 1883, and was for 34 years a Washington druggist. He was a Shriner in the Masonic order.

Dr. Williams is survived by a brother, John Williams, who lives in California.

The Weather

U. S. Dept. of Commerce, Weather Bureau, Washington, Monday, May 24, 8:30 P. M.

For the District of Columbia—Occasional light rain early in day; thunderstorms in afternoon or evening.

For Maryland and Virginia—Same as District.

Local Weather Report

Temperatures—Highest, 71; lowest, 54.

Departure from Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1943, 268 degrees.

Excess of temperature since May 1, 1943, 86 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1943, 2.35 inches.

Excess of precipitation since May 1, 1943, 39 inches.

Temperature same date last year—Highest, 74; lowest, 56.

Temperatures

Washington 51 56

Albuquerque 54 60

Atlanta 51 58

Bismarck 42 48

Brownsville 53 77

Cherryvale 58 78

Chicago 64 86

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22.24.26

COMMISSIONERS, D. C. WASHINGTON, May 22, 1943—Sealed proposals will be received at Room 320, District Building, until 10 A. M., JUNE 3, for furnishing tobacco and snuff. Schedule No. 1184-JUNE 4, rough lumber. Schedule No. 4170, and repair parts for sewage pumps. Schedule No. 4180; JUNE 7, officers' uniforms. Schedule No. 4118. For specifications and information apply to Purchasing Officer, Room 320, District Building.

22.24.26

What's Going On And Where

Breakfast, Luncheon and Dinner

Early Birds Breakfast Club, Willard, 8, 25.

Trade Association Executive Advisory Committee, Willard, 12:30 p. m.

Washington Building Congress, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.

Lions Club, directors, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.

Civilians Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.

Optimists Club, Mayflower, 12:30 p. m.

Dartmouth Club, Annapolis, 1:30 p. m.

Women's Advertising Club of Washington, Lee Theatre, 1:30 p. m.

Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, Mayflower, 12:45 p. m.

Comptrollers Institute, Capitol, 5 p. m.

District Institute of Criminal Public Accountants, Hamilton, 6:30 p. m.

Marines' National Association of Tobacco Distributors, Mayflower, 10 a. m.

Daughters of America, Columbia, Mayflower, 10 a. m.

United States Soldiers' Home Military Band, 6:30 p. m.

Dance, Friendship House, 619 D Street Southeast, 8:30 p. m.

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS NO. 2, for the County of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, September term, 1943.

No. 1048. In divorce & alimony. Anna Marie Schulz vs. George Martin Schulz. To George Martin Schulz, Present residence is unknown, but the last known residence was 528 South Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and Washington, D. C. Respondent: You will please take notice that I have been appointed master by the court in the above case, in which your wife, Anna Marie Schulz, has brought suit against you for absolute divorce on the grounds of indignities to the person and desertion, and that I will hold a meeting for the purpose of taking testimony in said case at my office, 1102 Land Title Building southwest corner Broad and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, Pa., on THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1943, at 3:30 o'clock p. m. (Eastern War Time), when and where you may attend with witnesses if you so desire. J. SCHNEIDER, CLEARFIELD, Master, 1102 Land Title Building, southwest corner Broad and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia, Pa. 11.18.25.1

B. V. LAWSON, Jr., Attorney, 2801 11th St. N.W.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Plaintiff, James R. Griffin, 1768 Willard St., N.W., vs. Defendant, No. CA 15007, The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce. On motion of the plaintiff, it is this 21st day of May, 1943, ordered that the defendant, James R. Griffin, cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the FOURTEENTH DAY, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise, the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter on the Washington Post before said day. EDWARD C. EICHBERG, Chief Justice, Attest: Seal. CLARENCE E. STEWART, Clerk. By ELEANOR E. JOBE, Deputy Clerk. 25.7.14

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